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# LOWERING OF PROPOSED MILL RATE INDICATED

## Free Speech Tilt In House of Commons To-day Bennett Scored For "Vaudeville" Debate Remark

E. J. Young, Member for Weyburn, Sask., Protests Premier's Attitude and Is Stoutly Supported by Liberal Leader, Who Says Bennett's Remark "Threatening"; Speaker Declares Members' Freedom of Speech Must Not Be Curtailed.

### Canadian Press

Ottawa, March 18.—The privileges of all members of Parliament with respect to freedom of speech will be preserved and no efforts to infringe these privileges will be permitted, Speaker Black told the House of Commons this afternoon when he appealed to by E. J. Young, Liberal, Weyburn, Sask., in connection with a statement made yesterday by Premier Bennett. Mr. Young raised the question and for fifteen minutes a lively tempest raged in the House, with the whole principle of free speech in the councils of the nation canvassed as an issue.

Supporting his follower, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, opposition leader, characterized the Prime Minister's statement as "threatening," and coming within the category of "high crime and misdemeanors."

Considerable interruption punctuated the remarks of both Mr. Young and Mr. King, while C. W. Bell, Conservative, Hamilton, Ont., taking up the cudgels on behalf of the Prime Minister, objected to questions of privilege being made the pretext for speech-making.

**THE DISPUTED REMARK**  
What Mr. Young and Mr. King complained of was that, speaking in the House yesterday, Premier Bennett, after assuring the members of the government would welcome full discussion of any measure, declared:

"But I will say we do not propose to listen to any vaudeville effusions such as we had last session from the honorable member for Weyburn (Mr. Young). An intelligent discussion is one thing, but the discussions that then took place were merely endeavors to wear out the patience of the minister in charge, and I think most of the honorable gentlemen's friends held the same view."

**NO THREATS WANTED**  
Mr. Young demanded an assurance the Prime Minister had not the right or power to determine who should or should not be heard in the House. Anything he had said in the short session last year was to the point.

"But," continued Mr. Young, "if the Prime Minister says—"

"When the Prime Minister does say so," interposed the Speaker, "it will be time enough to deal with it."

The honorable member could not anticipate the action of the Prime Minister, said the Speaker. Mr. Young was vested with all the privileges enjoyed by every other member of the House.

At this juncture Mr. King joined the discussion. After quoting the Prime Minister's statement, he drew attention to the rules of Parliamentary procedure.

**DEBATED AS REFLECTION**  
Interference with or reflections on members of Parliament were an indignity to the House itself, said Mr. King. The opposition regarded Premier Bennett's observation as a reflection on Mr. Young.

There was a great deal of shouting from both sides of the House. Mr. King protested against "the arrogant and intolerable manner" in which the government members conducted themselves.

The incident closed when Speaker Black declared that "the member for Weyburn will at all times be accorded the proper privileges enjoyed by all members of this house."

**FIVE WORKERS KILLED WHEN TUNNEL CAVES IN**  
Quincy, Cal., March 18.—Five men were reported killed in a cave-in of a tunnel under construction for the Western Pacific Railroad, eight miles northwest of here early to-day.

**Australian Government To Sue New South Wales For Money**  
Canadian Press Cable Via Renter's Canberra, Australia, March 18.—Premier Scullin announced in the House of Representatives to-day that the state of New South Wales had paid only \$123,000 out of a total of \$1,228,000 interest due to the Commonwealth on March 15.

The federal government had the matter under consideration, with a view to taking appropriate action to ensure the upholding of the Commonwealth law and constitution, he added.

## THREE MEN OF LOST SEALER ARE RESCUED

Believed Twenty-seven Men of Viking Perished Off Newfoundland

Body of Man Picked Up Near Where Explosion Wrecked Steamer Viking

St. John's, Nfld., March 18.—The sealing ship Beothic to-day picked up a dory containing three survivors of the lost sealing vessel Viking. They are W. G. Johnson, mast watch; Alfred Kean and Fred Best, helper of the New York moving picture party which went north aboard the steamer. The men were suffering from slight injuries, but were otherwise in good condition.

With 128 survivors of the wrecked ship safe ashore, it was indicated to-day twenty-seven of the ship's company might still be missing. The total number in the vessel's complement of crew and passengers was not definitely established, but it was stated 155 persons were on board the Viking when it sank Sunday night. Bowing Brothers Limited, shipowners, were advised this afternoon from St. John's, Newfoundland.

**BOATY PICKED UP**  
New York, March 18.—One body from the sealing ship Viking was found to-day near the spot in White Bay, northern Newfoundland, where the ship sank Sunday night. Bowing Brothers Limited, shipowners, were advised this afternoon from St. John's, Newfoundland.

Eagle and Neptune, which, with other craft from the fleet are searching the ice-filled waters of the bay, recovered the body—the first to be found. They were in the approximate position where the Viking exploded, burned and sank.

A message to Bowing Brothers from their headquarters at St. John's said: "Eagle and Neptune found ice where explosion occurred; wreckage, timbers, clothing and one body."

"Reported ice conditions terrible." (Concluded on Page 2)

**PRINCE RUPERT REPAIRS TO COST ABOUT \$100,000**

Vancouver, March 18.—Tenders for repairs to the steamer Prince Rupert, recently mysteriously submerged at her dock at Esquimalt, were opened to-day by R. B. Teakle of Montreal, general manager of Canadian National Steamships Limited. Mr. Teakle and other executives of the company are in the city investigating the accident to the vessel.

The tenders are still under consideration, but it is understood the repairs will cost about \$100,000 and will take eight weeks' time.

The investigation in the accident is still proceeding. Mr. Teakle is assisted by Capt. E. J. Tedford, marine superintendent, Montreal; T. Loudon, superintendent engineer, Montreal; B. C. Kelley, Pacific Coast manager for Canadian National Steamships Limited. He will remain on the coast for some days.

**More Directors For the C.N.R.**  
Canadian Press  
Ottawa, March 18.—First reading was given in the House of Commons this afternoon to a bill amending the Canadian National Railways Act and increasing the number of directors of the system from fifteen to seventeen. Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, in introducing the measure, explained its purpose was to give representation to two provinces not represented on the board—Alberta and Saskatchewan.

All this took place in the course of the budget debate, and when the former Finance Minister plunged into the intricacies of the transactions on which he founded his charge he announced that he was now going to leave the budget behind.

**BOUGHT LOT 104**  
The minister claimed that in 1902 Dr. Winch purchased Lot 104 in the (Concluded on Page 3)

## Visitor In London; King Alfonso



The Spanish king was talking into a movie microphone when the picture above, one of his latest, was taken. At the University of Madrid he appeared before students, who asked him to address them on Spain's governmental problems. This week he is in London, where he is closely guarded by police to prevent any incident growing out of the political turmoil in Spain.

## Members Refused Right to Explain As Shelly Accuses

Charges that A. M. Manson, K.C., when he was acting as Minister of Finance, had been responsible for the payment to Dr. H. C. Winch, Liberal, Skeena, of \$700 as a tax refund on land under a farm classification instead of a subdivision were made in great detail by Hon. W. C. Shelly, former Minister of Finance, in the Legislature yesterday, and in the face of strenuous protest both Mr. Manson and Dr. Winch were refused the opportunity to answer the charges, which they declared false.

**MANSON CALLS SHELLY CHARGE JUST TWADDLE**  
Another Case of Ex-Finance Minister Not Understanding, He Says

Refund of Excess Taxes to Dr. Winch Explained in Statement

Describing the attacks made by Hon. W. C. Shelly in the Legislature yesterday regarding the refund of \$700 in taxes to Dr. H. C. Winch, Liberal, Skeena, as "just twaddle" relating to a matter that was fully explained at the time it arose in 1929, A. M. Manson, K.C., whose name was linked in the accusation by Mr. Shelly as acting finance minister at the time the payment was made, gave a statement to the press this morning.

"It is another case of Mr. Shelly not understanding a comparatively simple matter," Mr. Manson said, "and was only made because Mr. Shelly is enmeshed under attacks made on his administration of the Finance Department."

Giving an explanation of the refund of the excess taxes paid, permission to deal with which was refused to both Dr. Winch and Mr. Manson, after Mr. Shelly's attack upon them in the House yesterday, Mr. Manson said the original blunder was made in the Lands Department twenty years ago. Dr. Winch automatically under the Land Act became owner of the Crown's twenty-five per cent interest in the subdivision when the subdivision was cancelled. The \$700 was a repayment to Dr. Winch of excess taxes illegally paid and of the purchase price paid to the Crown for property that was already legally his own. The name of W. S. Henry (Concluded on Page 2)

**"COWARDLY ATTITUDE"**  
"If the government wishes to take that cowardly attitude I am prepared to accept the position," commented Mr. Manson.

"The charge is frivolous anyway, as well as untrue," remarked T. D. Patullo.

Mr. Shelly began his speech with the comment that Mr. Manson would smart before he was through, and if he had a spark of honesty would resign his seat.

"I will take the smile off his face," he threatened when Mr. Manson laughed. "There will be silence in the morgue when I am through."

With documents piled high on his desk, Mr. Shelly proceeded to charge that Dr. Winch had virtually conspired with the late Attorney-General, A. M. Manson, to obtain \$700 from the treasury on the last day of the Liberal government was in office.

"It was the last order-in-council they passed, No. 866," said Mr. Shelly. "I'm going to tag the number on to him, No. 866."

## BUILDINGS OF ILLINOIS JAIL BURNED

One Convict Killed and Two Wounded By Guards During Riot at Stateville

Forces With Guns and Tear Gas Bombs Prevent Break By Mob of Prisoners

Canadian Press  
Joliet, Ill., March 18.—Fire destroyed the dining hall and spread to the roofs of cell houses of the new Illinois penitentiary at Stateville to-day during a riot, in which three convicts were shot, one through the head.

Squads of guards armed with guns and tear gas bombs charged into the ranks of the raging prisoners and sent them fleeing to the cell blocks, while hundreds of machine guns menaced the rioters from the walls and state and city police swarmed around the burning prison.

**FLAMES CONQUERED**  
At 3 p.m. a report came all prisoners had been locked in their cells, and fire apparatus from Joliet was admitted to the prison yard. Shortly afterward the flames were seen to die down.

**LEOPOLD THERE**  
A party of thirty-nine convicts, among them the murderer Nathan Leopold Jr., left the old penitentiary just before the riot and the prison authorities were not certain late in the day whether the group had been admitted to the prison. One bystander said the truckload of convicts had turned about at the gates when the howling of 2,000 rebels within signalled the beginning of the attack.

The outbreak was the second in a week. Four convicts have been shot, two fatally, in an uprising at the old prison here, last Saturday.

Stateville is across the river, three miles from here.

## NEW CLOTH PLAN FOR INDIA MADE

Bombay, India, March 18.—Mill owners of Bombay met Mahatma Gandhi to-day and accepted the main principles of his plan for helping dealers in foreign cloth to dispose of their stocks outside India and turn to the sale of Indian cloth.

The All-India Congress Party would share part of the losses arising from the cost of re-export.

## EX-BANK HEAD IS SENTENCED

M. S. Daugherty, Ordered to Ohio Prison For Ten Years, Will Appeal

Associated Press  
Washington Court House, Ohio, March 18.—Mal S. Daugherty, president of the defunct Ohio State Bank, convicted today of misappropriating the bank's funds, to-day was sentenced to ten years in the Ohio penitentiary, fined \$5,000 and ordered to pay the costs of the prosecution.

Defence attorneys stated they would appeal.

Judge Bell granted a twenty-day stay of execution requested by the defence counsel, who indicated they would file bills of exception.

It also was indicated the fifteen other indictments against Daugherty would be nolle prossed.

**MONEY DIVERTED**  
Daugherty, brother of Harry M. Daugherty, Attorney-General in the Harding cabinet, was named in sixteen indictments returned by the grand jury after an investigation of the failure of the Ohio State Bank. He was convicted on an indictment charging misappropriation of \$5,350. During the trial it was testified many loans had been made to other persons and that the money therefrom had gone into Daugherty's personal accounts.

## 3,000 CHINESE KILLED BY REDS

Shanghai, March 18.—The slaughter of 3,000 peasants in a Communist uprising along the Hupoh-Szechwan border was reported in Chinese dispatches to-day.

## TURNOVER TAX IS OPPOSED

Montreal, March 18.—The Montreal Wholesale Lumber Dealers' Association is opposing the "principle of the proposed turnover tax." A resolution passed at a meeting yesterday states that if it should be necessary as a source of federal revenue, the existing sales tax should be continued.

## LIBERAL M.P.'S DEBATE PLANS FOR SESSION

Ottawa, March 18.—Liberal members and senators to-day met in caucus and discussed plans for the session. Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader, addressed the caucus.

Hon. Charles Macell, Bonaventure, Que., again was selected chairman.

## APPEALS OF SIX BROKERS ARE DISMISSED

Ontario Appeal Court Says Men Convicted Must Serve Sentences

Two Who Did Not Appeal Are Already Serving Sentences

Canadian Press  
Toronto, March 18.—Appeals by six Toronto mining brokers against prison sentences were dismissed by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of Ontario to-day.

The brokers, sentenced last fall to terms of two and a half to three years on various counts of conspiracy and fraud arising from stock transactions through their respective companies, began their appeals some weeks ago and after a lengthy hearing the court reserved its judgment.

**TWO SERVING TERMS**  
Two other brokers convicted and sentenced at the same time accepted their sentences, and James Heppelstone and W. T. H. Shutt of the Arthur E. Moysie Company are now serving terms of three years and two and a half years, respectively.

**THE SENTENCES**  
Those who appealed and their sentences were:

William J. Smart (Homer L. Gibson Company), three years.

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## TEN DROWN IN SHIPWRECK

Two of Crew Get Ashore After Small Vessel Sinks Off Isle of Man

Canadian Press  
Port Erin, Isle of Man, March 18.—Ten lives were feared lost to-day when the small vessel Citrine of Glasgow ran ashore and turned turtle off Bradda Head, a bold cliff on the southwest coast. Only two men of the boat are known to have reached shore.

Loi Warren, son of the ship's cook, who survived, told a dramatic story of the wreck. He was making a trip with his father as helper.

"Last night," he said, "we ran into a howling wind and thick haze hung over the sea. Suddenly there was a mighty crash and we had struck Bradda Head Rocks. We got off the rocks, but water poured in through a gaping hole in the bow. In the darkness we felt the ship sinking. A few seconds later all of us were scrambling in the water and only two of us managed to reach safety on the rocks. My father and nine other men were lost."

**DEED COMMENDED**  
Among those who sent congratulations and thanks to Chief Devitt was Attorney-General Pooley. Commissioner J. H. McMullin of the provincial police at Victoria also sent a tribute.

**COMMITTED FOR TRIAL**  
Burnaby, B.C., March 18.—Fraser McDougall, jail breaker, who was captured last Friday in a gun battle which claimed the life of his partner, Ellis Wilcox, to-day was committed for trial on a charge of attempting to murder Chief Constable W. J. Devitt of the Burnaby police.

Several witnesses gave evidence that bursts of revolver fire had preceded and followed the two rifle shots fired by Chief Devitt in Burnaby woods the afternoon of the capture. Evidence was given that McDougall had fired both a Colt and a Constable. Noel Pennington, the automatic pistol said to have been used by McDougall, was produced with empty shells found where he had stood. Another revolver, which he had in his possession, was also produced.

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## VANCOUVER ISLAND MINE MEN ASK FUEL OIL DUTY

Increased in British Columbia during the past year from 300 per cent. In Nanaimo only one of the three mines was working, and that not at full time.

## Council Looking Favorably Upon Refunding Plans

Increase in Tax Levy May Be Held to One or Two Mills by Refinancing of Serial Debentures, Aldermanic Board at Meeting This Morning Indicates by Deferring Vote on Motion to Monday and Opening Avenue for Legislation; Strong Delegation of Property Owners Before Board.

Virtual assurance that the City Council will keep the 1931 mill rate below the present tentative level of forty-five mills by refunding debenture loans was contained in a motion passed at its adjourned meeting this morning when the question was deferred to Monday night next with the provision that civic officials be instructed to interview government officers and put into action machinery which would be necessary for securing legislative consent to such a course. Setting of the rate at forty-two or forty-three mills would be possible by this plan.

Alderman R. A. C. Dewar declared he was convinced the council was going to do some refunding, the opinion being generally favorable. Steps should be taken to see the city did not lose its opportunity to get permission from the Legislature, he claimed.

**AMOUNT IS POINT**  
The amount of refunding to be done is apparently the chief issue at stake. It was revealed in report by the committee of the whole that a motion to secure permission for \$200,000 refunding, made by Alderman J. A. Worthington, had been defeated, eight to two, at that a motion by Alderman Alex Peden for refunding \$100,000, had been beaten six to four, with Alderman Worthington and Williams, who supported the first motion, voting against.

This issue was reopened this morning and Alderman Worthington made another motion that the Legislature be asked to give the city power to refund up to \$200,000. The amendment by Alderman W. T. Straith to defer the point until Monday night carried, however.

**BRIGHTER PROSPECTS FOR THE TAXPAYERS**  
Refunding of a sum not greater than \$200,000 per annum for ten years by the issue of sinking fund debentures. Consideration of raising the taxation on improvements to seventy-five per cent of the assessed value, instead of fifty per cent as at present.

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**DELEGATION GIVES VIEWS**  
The action this morning followed representations made by a delegation of the largest and best property owners in the city, who, through James Forman as spokesman, presented suggestions, chief of which were:

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**FIRE CAUSES THREE DEATHS**  
Five Persons Seriously Burned When Hotel at Lynn, Mass., Is Destroyed

Lynn, Mass., March 18.—Three men burned to death and five guests injured in an early morning fire that wrecked the Hotel Lenox, here.

The bodies were identified as those of Arthur M. Young, fifty, of Lynn and St. Albans, Vt.; Arthur Harvey, forty-seven, day clerk of the hotel, and Martin Travers of Lynn, a factory foreman.

The four guests seriously burned were Florence Curdo, Frank Nelson, Lotie Clifford and Mrs. Mabel Eaton, all of Lynn.

**FIFTY ESCAPED**  
The fire started in a miniature golf course on the first floor of the five-story building, located at Exchange and Broad Streets. In the rooms above fire and police officials estimate there were more than fifty persons, guests and employees of the hotel, who escaped.

The cause of the fire is undetermined. The loss is estimated at possibly \$200,000.



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## LIBERAL WHIP IN BRITAIN QUILTS

Sir Archibald Sinclair Resigns as Protest Against Vote of Simon Group

Canadian Press  
London, March 18.—Sir Archibald Sinclair resigned today as chief whip of the Liberal Party of Great Britain. It is believed in political circles that he took the step to show his disapproval of the action of certain Liberal members of the House of Commons who Monday evening when the MacDonald Government was defeated.

## LOWERING OF PROPOSED MILL RATE IS INDICATED

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liquor and other sources, and an increase in expenditure for unemployment relief and other unforeseen contingencies. It is hard to avoid a dangerous increase in the tax rate, unless we can refund a portion of our serial bond maturities which are our most pressing obligation.

## REFUNDING PLAN

"Until the time arrives when money is easier and revenue balances expenditure without resort to increased taxation, or until the cost of carrying our debt decreases sufficiently to enable us to resume payments of serial bonds as they mature, authority should be secured to refund a sum not greater than \$200,000 per annum for ten years by the issue of sinking fund debentures, maturing in fifteen years at the current rates of interest, which would cost not more than ten per cent per annum for sinking fund, principal and interest to tide us over the emergency."

"The danger of wholesale land reversion must not be grave. The total number of lots in the city is 18,728 and of these 10,407 are improved and 8,321 unimproved. Of the unimproved lots 5,572, assessed at \$2,767,000, belong to the city, having reverted through the non-payment of taxes, and 4,282, assessed at \$4,233,300, are the property of the owners who still share the burden of the city taxes in the hope that the prospective value of their lands will justify the continuance of tax payments."

## INCREASED PERCENTAGE

"The other alternative is an increase of the tax on improvements, to say 75 per cent, because in the last analysis improved property is the city's security for its revenue. The city is now in Victoria over 40 per cent in number have reverted during the past twelve years. Of the improved lots only 157 have reverted, and not more than 2 per cent of the improved lots have been the property of the city at any one time. About 80 per cent of the city taxes are paid by the owners of unimproved lots, and only 20 per cent on unimproved lots."

"It is a little difficult for us to give an exact illustration of the difference in taxation between 50 per cent on improvements and 75 per cent on any particular piece of property at such short notice. But the increase of the tax on improvements is partly compensated for by the decreased tax on the land, on which the improvements are located, as well as the decrease on all unimproved lots, thereby encouraging the owners to hold on. Getting out of debt is an excellent thing, but it is just possible to lose the benefit of a decreased debt by finding oneself saddled with a great deal more unimproved land, which we surely do not want."

## NO ASSURANCE

Mr. Forman was asked by Mayor Ansonby to give a definite assurance on whether or not the property owners wanted a ten-per-cent increase in the tax rate or a jump from fifty to seventy-five per cent in the taxation of assessments.

Mr. Forman replied that he was not in a position to give an opinion at present as the question had not been thoroughly discussed, but he did point out that two mills of the reduction in the tax rate this year had come from the sinking fund surplus and would not be available next year. The money would have to come from somewhere. He also pointed out that the main contention of the delegation was for the refunding on a ten-year basis.

David Leeming explained the situation in regard to increasing the improvement assessment taxation to the extent that the thought only a few large buildings would get unusually heavy tax increase and that it would bring the general tax level down to about thirty-five mills.

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# Charges Against New York Mayor Citizens' Committee Is Trying To Oust Walker In Gotham

Governor Roosevelt of New York State Makes Public Charges of Misfeasance Against Walker Tammany Administration; Organizations Want State Inquiry Into Acts of "Jimmy," Who Is Holidaying in California.

Associated Press  
Albany, N.Y., March 18.—Charges preferred against the administration of Mayor James J. Walker of New York by the City Affairs Committee, made public by Franklin D. Roosevelt, Governor of New York State, today, allege misfeasance in office in ten specific cases.

The charges say the mayor has managed his office in the government of the city "in a wasteful and incompetent fashion."

The charges were contained in a letter to which was attached a memorandum containing allegations of failure to act in instances involving the board of standards and appeals, the department of licenses, condemnation of hospitals, the dock department and the sinking fund commission, the sale of city property and the grand jury, magistrates' courts and the police department.

The charges come as the climax of the efforts of the citizens' committee, the Federation of Churches and other organizations to have a state inquiry ordered by the Legislature into the whole administration of New York City.

**CORRUPTION ALLEGED**  
"He has failed properly to administer the government of the city of New York in the interests of the people," the charges say of Mayor Walker. "He has ignored conditions of inefficiency, corruption and if under public pressure he has initiated investigations, he has allowed such investigations to lapse without report to the public office and kept in office unworthy men subject to his removal."

"His conduct of the office of mayor since he took office January 1, 1930, has been incompetent, inefficient and futile, with the result that the local machinery of government has failed to function properly, and the administration of the city has been brought into disrepute."

**DISHONESTY WINKED AT**  
The charges also allege the mayor "has brought the administration of the city into disrepute by daily neglect of the affairs of his office, by careless standards of public life and by complete indifference to the inefficiency and dishonesty of appointed subordinates."

"Nothing more clearly reveals the incompetence, ineffectiveness, and inefficiency of the mayor as the highest public official of this city," the memorandum of the citizens' committee states, "than his relation to the problem of the magistrates' courts. The shocking conditions in these courts recently revealed by the inquiry set on foot by the Governor were commonly known long before the inquiry was instituted. At no time did the mayor make the slightest attempt to correct existing conditions in a field in which he is the appointed chief officer. He displayed the slightest interest in a situation which was bringing the law into contempt, denying justice to the people and lowering the confidence of the citizens in the integrity of their courts, and therefore of the whole substance of their government."

**HOLIDAYS IN CALIFORNIA**  
Mayor Walker at present is on a vacation in California, the trip having been undertaken to benefit his health, which of late has been indifferent. He intended he would cut short his six-week stay and return to New York.

The circus question was the one which resulted in the council taking a sudden adjournment owing to gallery slushings, providing all rules were complied with, the board, at its adjourned meeting this morning, ordered the petition against the show received and filed.

Despite the solicitor's definite ruling, Alderman R. T. Williams was not satisfied and said there were ways and means of doing everything.

It was pointed out, however, by Alderman A. C. Dewar that the city had prevented the circus coming here in previous years by refusing to allow it on city property. There was no doubt the show was not editing or good for the citizens generally, he said. Of course, nothing could be done to prevent the show going on private property.

Chairs and interruption were noticeably absent from this morning's council session. The audience was mainly composed of a delegation of property owners on the taxation question.

**Former Victoria War Veteran Is Killed By Auto**  
Struck by an automobile while crossing Robson Street, Vancouver, on Saturday evening, Joseph Green, formerly of 68 Greene Avenue, Victoria, passed away in the Vancouver General Hospital, on Monday afternoon, aged sixty-seven years. The remains will be brought to Victoria for funeral services, which will be announced later.

The late Mr. Green was born in Northumberland, England, and served overseas during the Great War. He lived in Victoria until eighteen months ago, when he went to Vancouver and for some time has been a patient in the Shaughnessy Military Hospital. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Harper of Colquitz, one son, Edward, in Springhill, Nova Scotia, a granddaughter, Mrs. A. C. Hancock, 42 Cadillac Avenue, Victoria, also eight other grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; also one brother in England.

**Dogs Get Liberty On Waterfront In New City By-law**  
Dogs may roam without apprehension on the Dallas waterfront, south of Dallas Road, in the future. This was the effect of a last-minute change included in the dog by-law amendment passed by the City Council this morning. The by-law also provides that dogs need not be accompanied in areas outside the number one fire limits.

Alderman James Adam led the fight for the dog lovers, but his amendment to give canines freedom in the downtown section was beaten. He did get the area in Beacon Park, south of the road, exempted from the general regulations which make it necessary for a dog to be on leash in a park.

## U.S. INCOME TAX TOTAL DECREASES

Washington, March 18.—The first day's collections of income tax on 1930 incomes in the United States dropped \$5,000,000 as compared with the first day of a year ago. The tax report for Monday, March 16, was \$13,100,362, as compared with \$18,148,963 last year on March 15.

## WORK STARTS ON BUILDING

St. Louis College Contract Awarded to Luney Brothers

Work commenced this morning on the clearing of ground for the new St. Louis College building. The contract was signed yesterday afternoon and Luney Brothers, well-known contractors of the city, have received the contract, as announced in The Times some weeks ago.

Formal announcement of the work was made by Bishop Murray at the Royal Victoria Theatre yesterday evening after the St. Patrick's concert held in aid of the building fund.

The new building will cost about \$75,000, which includes the heating, plumbing, furnishings and equipment. To date about \$13,000 has been raised, but an energetic committee is working on the building fund and it is hoped to increase this to at least half the sum by the time the school is completed.

The new school will be built on the present site on Pandora Avenue. There will be four large classrooms for grammar grades, accommodating forty-five pupils each, while on the top floor will be the high school rooms, comprising five classrooms, two of which will be connected with sliding doors to make a lecture room. There will be a fully equipped laboratory on this floor for chemistry.

It is hoped that the new building will be ready for occupancy in September. The classes will not be interrupted and the present building will remain until June, when it will be torn down. The new building will accommodate 300 pupils and to look after the increase in registration which the new building is bound to bring, the teaching staff of six will be increased to ten.

Townley & Matheson are the architects for the new building, and they have drawn plans for a fireproof and fully modern school building of three stories. W. Priddy of 610 Humboldt Street has secured the contract for the heating and plumbing.

## LIFE OF CHIEF OF POLICE THREATENED

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Chief Devitt repeated his evidence given at the inquest on the body of Wilcox, concluding with the remark that while he was not a doctor, he believed that the man had been shot after he had been brought to the Burnaby police station, had said he was shooting at him. He had not been questioned at that time. According to the chief, he was "just talking about the affair."

## Overnight Entries At Agua Caliente

First Run—Six furlongs:  
Bull Run 1:10  
Lusard 1:11  
Golden Coin 1:12  
Al Babbitt 1:13  
Sam Yalder 1:14  
Hawthorn 1:15  
Rex Roma 1:16  
Ethel Sherlock 1:17  
Kilgus 1:18  
Sally 1:19  
Tulip 1:20  
Initiator 1:21  
Captain Dool 1:22  
Second Race—Five and one-half furlongs:  
Tolo 1:08  
Belita 1:09  
Golden Oriole 1:10  
Star Boda 1:11  
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## REMAINED UNTIL TO-MORROW HERE

F. J. Sweeney, Charged With Forgery, Appears in Police Court

Francis Joseph Sweeney, arrested yesterday by Inspector J. McLean and Detectives W. Stark and C. Cremer, on a charge of forging cheques, was granted a remand until to-morrow by Acting Magistrate C. J. Prior in the City Police Court today.

## BENNETT ASKED IF CANADIANS TO LEAVE RUSSIA

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, March 18.—A series of questions in respect to the embargo recently placed by the Bennett government on imports of commodities from Soviet Russia into Canada has been placed on the order paper of the Commons by W. Girouard, Liberal member for Drummond-Athabasca, Que.

"Previous to placing the embargo on imports of products from Russia, did the Canadian Government confer with foreign governments?" he asks. "Did the Canadian Government try to induce other foreign governments to imitate Canada?"

Mr. Girouard goes on to ask if it is the intention of the Canadian Government to order Canadian citizens who are working in Russia to return to Canada.

## EARTHQUAKE REGISTERED HERE TO-DAY

Believed to Have Centred Near Asia Minor; Shocks Recorded in U.S.

A severe quake was registered early this morning on the seismographs of the Gonzales Heights Meteorological Observatory, beginning fifteen minutes and thirty seconds after midnight. The centre was estimated as 6,500 miles away, probably to the eastward in the vicinity of the Asia Minor. The record lasted over four hours.

**RECORDED AT WASHINGTON**  
Washington, March 18.—A severe earthquake disturbance beginning at 3:15 o'clock and lasting four hours was recorded this morning at Georgetown University.

Rev. Father Sobon, seismologist, said the disturbance had reached its greatest intensity at 3:50 a.m., but had continued until 7 o'clock. It appeared to be northwesterly and more than 5,000 miles away which, Father Sobon said, would put the centre probably in Korea.

**RECORDED AT NEW YORK**  
New York, March 18.—Two earth quakes noted as "quite severe" were recorded today by the seismograph at Columbia University.

The first shock was at 3:14.08 o'clock, eastern standard time. The distance from New York was believed about 5,000 miles, probably in the vicinity of the Aleutian Islands.

**REGISTERED IN ARGENTINA**  
La Plata, Argentina, March 18.—Earthquake shocks, apparently very violent, were recorded at La Plata, Observatory between 4:07 and 6:10 o'clock, New York time, this morning. It was estimated the shocks were centred about 900 miles to the westward.

**MANSON CALLS SHELLY CHARGE JUST TWADDLE**  
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In the tax sale purchase was rightly used as the real estate agent who acted for Dr. Winch.

**ACTUAL FACTS**  
The full statement follows: "In view of the importance attached to the allegations made by Mr. Shelly yesterday afternoon, and in view of the refusal of the Prime Minister and his colleagues to permit an explanation at the time on the floor of the House, a statement of the actual facts with regard to the matter referred to will make clear how foundationless the charges were."

"The facts are simple. When plans of townships are filed the crown becomes by statute entitled to a conveyance of one-quarter of the lots from the owners. In June, 1905, the owners of the east half of Lot 104, a piece of farm land some couple of miles from the old village of Hazelton, filed a subdivision plan in the Land Registry Office. Through a blunder in the Lands Department at Victoria, the department omitted to obtain a conveyance of its quarter interest. The crown lots were apparently agreed upon as they were taken off the assessment roll. In 1918 Dr. H. C. Winch bought at a tax sale all the lots in the subdivision other than the ones which were selected for the crown. At that time farm land and nothing else, he took the usual steps to have the subdivision plan cancelled and the land thrown back into the crown. He was in the land through the blunder of the Lands Department he was prevented from doing so by reason of the fact that the title of the lots selected for the crown was still in the name of the original owners of the subdivision. The government endeavored to get a conveyance from the owners in order to correct the error, but was unsuccessful in getting a conveyance from two of the owners. The matter dragged, and the crown in an endeavor to find a way to correct its own mistake of 1905, put the lots, which were intended for the crown but which had never been conveyed, back on the assessment roll in the name of the original owners. They did not pay the taxes and the lots went up for sale in the fall of 1925, when they were bought in by Dr. H. C. Winch, a real estate agent of Smithers, B.C., as agent for Dr. Winch.

**APPLIED FOR REFUND**  
"When the period for redemption had expired, Dr. Winch applied to the crown for a refund of the money paid by him for the purchase of the crown lots. Pursuant to section 75, chapter 131, of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, he was entitled to a conveyance of the lots gratis upon the cancellation of the subdivision. He was, therefore, equitably and morally entitled to a refund of the money he had paid by reason of the blunder of the Lands Department. The matter was passed back and forth from the Lands Department to the Finance Department and was brought to my attention in August, 1928.

"An order-in-council was prepared reciting all the facts very fully, and appended and made part of it was a memorandum prepared by the Surveyor of Taxes, showing that through an error of the department, Dr. Winch had been put to an outlay of \$778.62. The order-in-council directed a refund to him of \$778.62 less the amount of \$778.62 to cover taxes paid by the crown to the school district, which the lands statute. The fact that the order-in-council recites the facts, and that the whole file which was tabled two years ago in the Legislature, so clearly substantiates the order should be ample evidence that Dr. Shelly had no warrant for making the statement he did yesterday. It would seem to be just another case where Mr. Shelly did not understand a comparatively simple matter."

"Mr. Shelly's suggestion that the Lieutenant-Governor was deceived when it was recited in the order-in-council that Dr. Winch had purchased certain lands, whereas they were in fact purchased by Mr. Henry, is of course, just twaddle. Mr. Henry was an agent. Dr. Winch put up the money and in all good conscience he was entitled to a refund. Early in February, 1929, a return was laid on the table



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Dr. W. F. Fraser, dentist, announces removal of offices to 302 Pemberton Building.  
Dr. C. Denton Holmes has now moved his offices from the Belmont Building to 204-205 Campbell Building. The new phone number will be G 1911.  
Gordon Furrier, Sackard Block—Furs remodeled and repaired. G. 4733.  
The King's Daughters' Daffodil Tea, 3 to 6 p.m., March 19. Admission 25c. Hibben-Bone Building, up stairs.  
Doctor Scott-Moncrieff has returned from California and resumed his practice.  
Silver tea at the home of Mrs. H. Kinsman, 427 Linden Avenue, Saturday, March 21, 3 to 6 o'clock; under auspices of Volunteer Bible Class, First United Church. Musical programme during afternoon.  
"Punch" Tea is used for the free-press readings at Stevenson's-Yates or Douglas—afternoon, 3 to 5.  
H. H. Liver, chiropractic specialist, 312-3 Pemberton Building.

## ACCUSATIONS TOPIC OF QUERIES IN THE COMMONS

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, March 18.—In the House of Commons this afternoon Hon. J. L. Belton, former Liberal Minister of National Defence, asked the Minister of Justice if he were aware letters were being sent from the Post Office Department to the owners of land, accusing them of partisanship, without giving the name of the accuser or particulars of the charges and calling on the accused to sign an affidavit denying the charges on pain of dismissal.  
Hon. Hugh Guthrie declared he knew of nothing being done in any department of the government which was not in strict accordance with the usual practice.

## APPEALS OF SIX BROKERS ARE DISMISSED

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Maurice E. Young (Homer L. Gibson Company), two and a half years.  
D. S. Paterson (D. S. Paterson Company), three years and two years on two counts, to run concurrently.  
Austin Campbell (D. S. Paterson Company), two and a half years and two years on two counts, to run concurrently.  
Malcolm Stobie (Stobie, Forlong Company), three and two years on two counts, to run concurrently.  
C. J. Forlong (Stobie, Forlong), two and a half and two years on two counts, to run concurrently.  
With the unanimous decision of the judges any hopes of further appeal vanished.

## PROWLING REPORTED

Two prowling cases were reported to police yesterday.  
J. R. Barnes, 1611 Bay Street, lost cigarettes valued at \$5 from his store, to which entrance was gained through a side window.  
Mrs. C. C. Warn, 70 Menzies Street, reported loss of a small bank containing about \$10.

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## COMPANY AIDS FIGHT AGAINST DISEASE WAVE

Associated Press  
Point Barrow, Alaska, March 18.—The fight against the diphtheria epidemic raging here the last two weeks

has suffered a setback with the discovery of two new serious cases. All available hospital space was filled to-day and Dr. Henry Griest was compelled to return to homes all cases showing the slightest improvement. The financial depression had caused a fifty per cent cut in appropriations advanced to the Presbyterian Hospital here, Dr. Griest said, resulting in a shortage of food and supplies. Capt. Pendersen of Oakland, Cal., commander of an Arctic trading vessel and representing the Northern Whaling Trading Company, wired Dr. Griest to draw on company funds up to \$1,000. Restlessness of the natives, who dislike the precautionary actions of the

white men and fail to understand the seriousness of the situation, caused the police force to be doubled.

## Gas Rate Ruling Given For Alberta

Ottawa, March 18.—The board of public utility commissioners of Alberta was entitled to take account of surplus of the Wainwright Gas Company into account when natural gas rates were being fixed. This is the conclusion reached by the Supreme Court of Canada in a judgment handed down on the appeal brought by the company. The utility commission fixed rates after taking account of three years' surpluses shown on the company's books. The finding of the Supreme Court of Canada affirms the judgment of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

## Too Many Judges, Says Sinclair

Toronto, March 18.—Suggestion that the number of Ontario judges was being increased in order to enable the Bennett Government to reward party workers was made in the Ontario Legislature yesterday by W. E. N. Sinclair, K.C., Liberal House leader when Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General, moved second reading of his bill to provide for additional judges in three counties.

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## MEMBERS REFUSED RIGHT TO EXPLAIN AS SHELLY ACCUSES

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Cassiar district and in 1905 sold it to five men. The five purchasers subdivided it into eighteen blocks. They neglected to deed to the crown the five blocks constituting the crown's reversionary right to 25 per cent of the area of subdivided property. Despite this omission the Lands Department exempted these five blocks from the assessment roll, as if they had actually been transferred to the crown, the speaker said. In 1918 the thirteen blocks were sold at a tax sale and bought in by Dr. Winch. Dr. Winch, in order to escape the heavier taxation on subdivided property, applied to have the subdivision canceled so the land would revert to acreage and come under the classification of farm land. The missing five blocks obstructed this programme. Mr. Manson's law firm was retained by Dr. Winch in 1921, when Mr. Manson was speaker of the House, to press for an adjustment permitting the cancellation of the subdivision, the speaker claimed. With no documents, he said, giving any explanation the five blocks were returned to the assessment roll in the name of the purchasers from Dr. Winch. They were then put up for tax sale in 1925 and bought in for \$586 by W. S. Henry of Smithers. Two years later Henry assigned the property to Dr. Winch for \$1. On the last day before the Liberal government went out of office \$700 was rebated to Dr. Winch for excess taxes paid on the land as subdivided land instead of acreage. The maximum rebate property payable was \$215, he said. The order-in-council was signed by A. M. Manson, as acting finance minister, although he had not been properly designated to act in that capacity.

Charges were made by Mr. Shelly that Mr. Manson's law firm continued to act for Dr. Winch and to press upon the government the need for action right up to the last minute; that both Dr. Winch and W. E. Williams, solicitor, wrote letters urging that the question be settled before the election on account of the order-in-council of government; that permanent officials of the government opposed the settlement; that the minute of council misrepresented the facts to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor both as to the amount due, and in stating that Dr. Winch instead of Mr. Henry had bought in the five blocks at the tax sale; that in consequence Mr. Manson had been guilty of making mistakes under oath to the Lieutenant-Governor and that Dr. Winch had received illegal payments from the public treasury.

Mr. Shelly demanded that Dr. Winch repay the \$700 to the crown and called upon the two members to resign. In his running comment upon this series of allegations Mr. Shelly said the taking of the lots off the assessment roll showed the crown had knowledge of the subdivision and that the failure to convey the five blocks to the crown was merely an oversight. He claimed that Henry was either a straw man or very magnanimous in reselling the five blocks to Dr. Winch at \$1 after having paid \$586.

He also hinted that Dr. Winch had sold some of the five blocks to settlers before the Henry transaction was closed, but hastily withdrew and said that Dr. Winch had "swindled" the purchasers.

In the course of the discussion Mr. Manson declared the statement that Dr. Winch was his client when the order-in-council was passed was absolutely untrue as he had withdrawn from the firm when he became Attorney-General. Mr. Shelly said the haste to get the matters settled before the election was a deliberate attempt to cover up the transaction.

When Mr. Shelly said it was a serious thing for Mr. Manson to "deliberately deceive" the Lieutenant-Governor, the speaker said his statement was absolutely false.

"Perhaps the attorney-general did not know Henry had bought in the land, but if so it was the only thing about the transaction that he did not know," replied Mr. Shelly.

When Mr. Shelly described the transaction as "shady," Mr. Speaker Davis called him to order.

"That term may not be applied to any member of the House," he replied. "Oh, no, Mr. Speaker, I would not suggest that," replied Mr. Shelly amid laughter.

Dr. Winch denied the truth of various statements made by Mr. Shelly. He said the speaker had been misled by the K.C. Liberal House leader when Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General, moved second reading of his bill to provide for additional judges in three counties.

## BENNETT TELLS OF PLANS FOR CONFERENCE

Cabinet Will Voice Same Policies at Empire Gathering in Ottawa as in London

Premier Speaks Nearly Two Hours in Debate on Address in Commons

Ottawa, March 18.—Premier Bennett and his colleagues will enter the Imperial Economic Conference in Ottawa in the fall of this year guided by the general principles they voted at the Imperial Conference in London last autumn.

This was made plain by Mr. Bennett at the conclusion yesterday afternoon of his speech in the Commons in the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne when he said:

"I do not propose for a single moment to depart from the general principles that have governed us in dealing with the economic problems of Canada at the Imperial Conference which will meet in adjourned session during the coming months. I am conscious of no neglect of my duties in the cause of Canada, and I certainly have as great a love of the empire as any honorable gentleman here."

Mr. Bennett said Mr. King, Liberal leader, had charged him with using coercion.

"What," said the Prime Minister, "if to state the facts frankly, if to set down one's views without malice, if to believe words are used to express thoughts or disarms at length, if this is of value, then I can say this is all the coercion that has been practiced."

Mr. Bennett ended his address shortly before 8 p.m., having spoken one and three-quarters hours. The public galleries were crowded during his speech.

PROMISES FULL DISCUSSION  
The Premier stated at the outset of his speech that it was not his intention to traverse or discuss at length in his present address the measures his government would introduce at this session of Parliament. There would be, however, "the fullest possible opportunity for discussion of every phase of every measure introduced."

The legislation which would be brought down by the government, he believed, would be in the interests and well-being of the Canadian people, and if approached from that angle, the desirability of the measures would be fully recognized, he thought.

Mr. Bennett asked why present economic conditions prevailed in Canada. He said that in this new land, if proper policies had been followed, the present results would have been prevented."

Was it realized the present government had been in power for only eight months?

"Where would this country have been had it not been for the last fall session of Parliament? It had been mandated in criticizing what he thought was a lack of policy on the part of the previous government."

Beating off the measures passed at the special session of Parliament, upward of 200,000 men and women had been provided with work, he said.

He said that the conditions in Canada had been improved by the measures passed at that time. Conditions, had as they were, undoubtedly would have been better if those measures had not been enacted.

"I do not belong to that school of thought—and many Liberal leaders have belonged to that school—responsibility," the Prime Minister said.

HE SAYS ALL STATE VIEWS  
Mr. Bennett said he was amused by the Liberal leader's declaration that the present Prime Minister was the government "I doubt," he declared, "if there has been a government in Canada's history in which relations were more harmonious, where there was better understanding and action."

I say there never has been an instance where the head of this government has endeavored to intrude his ideas on the cabinet.

The Prime Minister said he held only one more portfolio than the Liberal leader had when he was head of the government in 1926.

Mr. Bennett said he had gained valuable information during his travels in Canada and to the Imperial Conference.

NEW FINANCE MINISTER  
The Prime Minister said he believed it would be advantageous to Canada and only his duty to continue as Minister of Finance until after the close of the Imperial Economic Conference to be held in Ottawa this summer.

In the fiscal year ended in March, 1930, the then Liberal Government had taken from the people in the form of taxes \$395,000,000. Mr. Bennett said, adding that was about \$100,000,000 more than the total in 1925.

When Mr. L. E. (Liberal, Sheldrake-Yarmouth)—But they did more business.

wheat, had made it impossible for Canadians to compete.

"Can't you stop it?" asked a Liberal member.

EMPIRE CONFERENCE  
Speaking of the Imperial Conference in London, Mr. Bennett said he had made known to the country just what his policies would be. They had been framed in order to secure reciprocal preferences within the empire.

In the operation of preferences, he said, every unit of the empire would benefit, but this did not contemplate exclusion of products from other countries. He had told the Imperial Conference that "we must have—all of us—markets without the empire, and to make those markets sure and greater, we must place no insuperable barrier in the road of reciprocal world trade. What it means is that we should direct the present flow of trade into more permanent empire channels by preferring empire goods to those of other countries. This can be done only in one way—by creating a preference in favor of empire goods."

Far from denying Canada would deal in the markets of the world, he had said the direct opposite.

QUOTA DISCUSSION  
At the conference it had been suggested a quota might meet the Canadian views. If England would say her entire requirements could be met on a quota basis of seventy per cent from empire countries and thirty per cent elsewhere, something might be done.

A committee had been appointed and evidence gathered, and then the members of the committee decided it should be dropped for a time. The opinion had been expressed it could again be explored if the conference should adjourn to meet again at Ottawa.

BLUNT LANGUAGE  
It was true, said Premier Bennett, that he had used blunt language in pressing his conference proposals. But it was also true that all but one of the larger British newspapers had expressed gratitude that someone had placed the issue squarely before the people.

His proposal entailed preferences between all parts of the empire, not between Great Britain and one dominion. It was still under consideration by the empire governmental heads and would be discussed further at the Economic Conference to be held in Ottawa next fall.

This fact, the Prime Minister continued, placed the proposals in the sub judice class. It was impossible to discuss them fully before the conference.

"I know it is not the case," said the Prime Minister, speaking of Mr. King's charge that inter-empire relations had been strained by the conference. "I know," he continued, "that the proposal commanded respect even from the most unbending. Our relations have been improved by the conference."

HIS PLEDGES  
The Liberal leader had asserted the government had failed to implement its pledges, continued Mr. Bennett. The government proposed to observe these pledges to the fullest extent. This could not be done in eight months. It had never been suggested it would be done in eight months, he said. The government proposed to go on until it was done.

Mr. Bennett criticized the former government for the trade agreements it had negotiated. The former administration had made a treaty with Australia; it had made another, by order-in-council, with New Zealand. To-day relations between Canada and New Zealand were strained because of that treaty, said Mr. Bennett. A channel of trade had been created and then destroyed.

Mr. Bennett briefly referred to treaties with Italy and France, negotiated by the former Liberal government. The treaties had provided that the country should receive the minimum tariff on wheat, but the minimum had been raised, said the Premier.

BASIS IS BARGAINING  
The opposition leader, Mr. Bennett continued, had made reference to the trade arrangements between Argentina and Great Britain. The basis of that agreement was bargaining. "I have pointed out to this House," the Prime Minister said, "that the basis of all agreements is bargaining."

"We are a practical government," said Premier Bennett, "and we understand something about business, and under these circumstances we intend to continue to make treaties as a result of bargaining with different parts of the Empire on occasion demands."

RALLY SAVES THE CABINET IN AUSTRALIA  
Canberra, March 18.—In a desperate attempt to stave off defeat that loomed as the result of an unexpected crisis in the House of Representatives yesterday, the Scullin Government chartered a special airplane to rush to the capital Hon. Frank Anstey and two other Labor members from Melbourne. A fourth Labor absentee chartered his own airplane from Geelong.

The Melbourne plane did not arrive, but the government was again saved by a last-minute rally of the Labor extremists, and a motion of criticism by the Nationalist opposition was talked out.

The small group of extremists, who are definitely at odds with the bulk of the party in the caucus, stepped into the breach yesterday, just as they had done last week, and for the second time the government earned a respite.

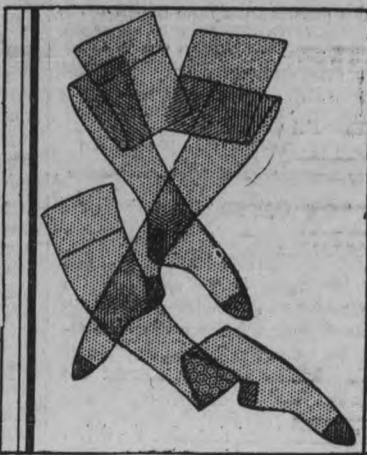
The Nationalists suddenly decided to move adjournment to discuss the "inconsistencies of the policy pursued by the government, and Premier Scullin's cables from London."

Premier Scullin in the House yesterday stigmatized as "vile treachery" the action of the person or persons responsible for making these cables public. He had said outside the House Monday that the cables spoke for themselves and he did not apologize for one word.

NEVADA IS SOON TO HAVE WIDE OPEN GAMBLING  
Carson City, Nevada, March 18.—By a vote of 13 to 3, with one not voting, the Nevada Senate passed a wide open gambling bill yesterday afternoon after amending the measure to give cities the right to prohibit county sheriffs from issuing licenses to undesirable applicants.

The measure now goes back to the Assembly for concurrence in the amendment, which is said to be assured, and it then will go to the governor, who will sign it, according to previous statements.

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## Three Men in Auto Killed By Train

Windsor, Ont., March 18.—Three men were killed and two seriously injured when a Pere Marquette freight train struck the automobile in which they were riding at a level crossing in Kingsville, near here, yesterday evening.

The men were employed by a local onion growers' association at Kingsville. Bound home from work, they swung on the level crossing just as the eastbound freight came along.

They were in a touring car, with all the side curtains up, and evidently did not see the train.

## NEW GOVERNOR WELCOMED

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, March 18.—Dr. Paul W. Pearson of Philadelphia, newly-appointed civil governor of the Virgin Islands, arrived here late yesterday aboard the mine sweeper Grebe and was accorded an enthusiastic welcome.

The Prime Minister promised to make representations to the League of Nations.

The petition was presented by Wasyly Swystun of Winnipeg and John J. Ruryk of Saskatoon.

## UKRAINE INQUIRY IS ADVOCATED

Ottawa, March 18.—A petition asking the League of Nations Council to take steps to investigate certain punitive expeditions alleged to have been sent among the Ukrainian minority in Poland was presented to Premier R. B. Bennett yesterday. The petition is signed by the Ukrainian Self-Reliance League of Canada and a large number of other Ukrainian organizations in this country.

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## THE CONTRAST

**AN OUTSTANDING FEATURE OF** Mr. Mackenzie King's speech in the House of Commons on Monday was the significant contrast he drew between Canada's position during his term of office and the state of affairs in the Dominion since Mr. Bennett was elected to power.

It will be remembered that after the defeat of the Meighen administration ten years ago, Mr. King and his colleagues faced a set of circumstances similar in an economic way to those which confronted Mr. Bennett last summer. The country had just gone through a period of war prosperity and a bill of reckoning had been presented. The new government's legacy included a net debt of nearly \$2,333,000,000, dropping trade, declining revenues, and an unemployment situation which was sending thousands of Canadians to the United States, then enjoying a post-war boom of proportions never before experienced. But it set about its difficult task in a practical fashion. It removed barriers to trade, reduced customs duties, especially the duties paid on goods bought by Canada from Great Britain, and embarked upon policies calculated to restore the country's economic equilibrium.

The figures Mr. King quoted in his speech are proof of the success of those policies. An export trade of \$745,000,000 in 1922 grew under his administration to a total of \$1,389,000,000 in 1929. Nor was this all. Mr. King's government was able to show a balance on the right side of the country's finances from 1924 until it went out of office last year. In addition to which it reduced the national debt by nearly \$300,000,000 and cut taxation between 1926 and 1930 by no less than \$116,000,000. The manner in which it conducted the Dominion's business, moreover, so substantially restored public confidence, both at home and abroad, that Canada, as an economic unit among the family of nations, came to be regarded as one of the most fortunate countries in the world. Her's was the first money to reach parity with the American dollar—an early achievement of the King government of which it had reason to be proud. And a population loss of many thousands a month was completely redressed, until, as statistics showed, the migration exchange between Canada and the United States turned in this country's favor. These achievements, then, were written down to the credit of the King government—the satisfactory legacy inherited by Mr. Bennett and his colleagues by virtue of the mandate they received from the electorate last July.

Besides giving an account of his stewardship between 1921 and 1930, Mr. Mackenzie King gave the House of Commons a report on conditions as they exist to-day. He did not require to draw upon his imagination or indulge in political theory. The government's statements and figures were all he required for the purpose of his contrast. Mr. Bennett won office on a policy of higher protection; on a promise to call a special session of Parliament to pass legislation increasing the tariff by which he would end unemployment. The House met last September and at that time the country was told there were something like 117,000 idle workers and that this number probably would increase to about 170,000 by Christmas, but it would go beyond this because the effect of the policies introduced by the new government would be felt by this time. Yet, toward the end of January, Hon. Gideon Robertson, Mr. Bennett's Minister of Labor, publicly stated that the number of unemployed in Canada stood at approximately 300,000. So much for the effect of the special session on unemployment.

In regard to the Dominion's finances, there is a similar tale to be told. Mr. Robb's budgets were the envy of finance ministers in many lands; they meant surpluses. The last Liberal budget was no exception; Mr. Dunning's ledger showed a balance of \$40,000,000 on the right side. This has vanished and Mr. Bennett already has prepared the country for a deficit of something like \$100,000,000. In addition to this debit account, moreover, there is also a substantial increase in the national debt, an unfavorable trade balance of more than \$90,000,000 in the year ending with last month, falling revenues, higher taxation—and an unsolved unemployment problem that is worse by more than one hundred per cent than it was when the government that was elected on its promise to find work for all met Parliament to pass its so-called cure-all legislation.

Nor is the prospect of making up for these deficiencies at all bright. Mr. Bennett proposes to make it more difficult for Canada to trade with the other countries of the empire and with the rest of the world. British imports will have to jump over a higher tariff wall before they can get into this Dominion. But, as Mr. King pointed out in his speech, the Old Country trader has gone down to the Argentine with his wares and a sign which reads: "If you will trade with us, we shall trade with you." Mr. Bennett went to London last fall, however,

with an ultimatum to Great Britain—and the Imperial Conference collapsed. Our trade relations with Britain are strained, and the prospect is that the happy concord of inter-empire intercourse established by the King government will be disturbed.

## CITY FINANCES

**IT IS NOW CERTAIN THAT THE** taxpayers of the city will not find their tax bills increased this year to forty-eight mills, as they had reason to expect when the financial statement of the municipality was presented a short time ago. The council's decision to call upon the surplus in the sinking funds for debt requirements, and the reduction by \$30,000 of expenditures made by the School Board, will reduce the estimated rate to approximately forty-five mills. This, however, is regarded in most quarters as still too high and the city authorities have been considering a proposal from the Real Estate Board which is designed to reduce the charge to forty-two mills.

The proposal of the Real Estate Board briefly is to refund a portion of the capital requirements annually due on serial debentures. The city is paying its debt off to the extent of almost half a million dollars a year, which the Board regards as being in excess of its ability to pay in the special circumstances which have developed in recent times, and which will prevail for an indefinite period. This heavy debt paying will continue for the next twelve years or so, after which the taxpayers will enjoy a progressively easier time as far as these charges are concerned, provided, of course, that no fresh heavy burdens are taken on.

The Real Estate Board, therefore, feels that some of the load should be distributed over a longer period and that in order that this may be done the city should refund, by borrowing, up to \$200,000 a year for a period ranging from nine to thirteen years. This will enable the municipality to operate on a forty-two mill rate, on present estimates, during that time. Of course, if the debt were materially increased by new commitments the rate would be higher.

The Board claims that the physical assets of the city against which most of the serial debentures involved in the proposal were issued are in splendid condition and will be in use far longer than the period over which the payments are to extend. It contends that there is no injustice or unfairness in a proposal to pass some of our present liabilities into a period when economic conditions must inevitably be much better than they are now and the lot of the taxpayer will be correspondingly easier. It is an emergent measure, but it is prompted by emergent circumstances; circumstances which are world-wide in their effect and which are being met everywhere by measures which would not be adopted in normal times.

Even under this plan there must be an increase of taxation over the present rate, but there is no other way of getting off with forty-two mills except by cutting out essential city services, which would imperil the public welfare, unless the provincial government can be induced to return to the city a fair proportion of the amount it will contribute to the provincial treasury under the proposed one per cent tax, and there seems to be no prospect of that. The proposals of the Real Estate Board would require the approval of the Legislature, but it is believed this would be granted if it were applied for.

The City Council, in view of all the circumstances and the desire of the taxpayers to carry on without any undue advance in the annual tax burden, should give the refunding plan its best consideration. Anything which would tend to bring about a recurrence of the confusion in civic finances which arose in 1922 from the inability of taxpayers to meet their charges, should be avoided, and every avenue of substantial relief should be explored.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

AGE OF TEAM PLAY

Andre Maurois, French Author and Psychologist

The time of industrial pioneers is past, just as feudalism is gone; we are living in a new age of team play.

I believe that, in the future, team play will be practiced not only among individuals but among nations. If there are still some on the American continent who believe that European prosperity is a matter of indifference to them, or some Europeans who believe that political order in China is of no importance, they will pay dearly for their beliefs.

World economic solidarity is a fact of this age, whether one welcomes it or deplores it. . . . This crisis will pass. I even believe that we may say, without great risk of contradiction, that it has already passed its most dangerous stage, because if we compare the prices of the principal raw materials with prices before the war, we see that for most of them the curve is now not far from the lowest points ever reached. But wages are higher than before the war.

It is certainly true that at this time many producers are working for less than the cost of production. This is a state of things that cannot last very long.

Of course, the prophet of evil can say that this crisis bears no resemblance to any other because the disorder in the world is greater than at any other time in history. Immense territories—Russia, China and India—have been, in part at least, wiped out from the community of consumers, while, at the same time, production is increasing at a pace that the nineteenth century never knew.

All that is true. But the disorder after the Napoleonic wars was not less, and the difference between the methods of production of 1850 and those of 1930 was as great as the difference between 1850 and 1930.

## A THOUGHT

They shall be ashamed, and also confounded, all of them: they shall go to confusion together that are makers of idols.—Isaiah xiv 16.

Idolatry is certainly the first-born of folly.—South.

## Across The Bay

We celebrate St. Patrick's Day in appropriate fashion—with certain charges from Mr. Shelly—silence from the opposition—enforced by a government majority—and a jolly recital from Mr. McKenzie.

By H. B. W.

**AS YOU WOULD** expect on St. Patrick's Day, we spent Tuesday in a quarrel which lasted all afternoon and was by no means finished then. It was a day devoted entirely to a searching of the past for new horrors to astound and terrify the opposition and the electors. Evidently feeling that the opposition and the electors need to be thoroughly astounded and terrified, the government used the whole day for the purpose. Not satisfied that Mr. Shelly had done the job commensurate with the occasion, Mr. McKenzie, Minister of the Government, also threw his weight into the fray. And of course you know what that means. It means such an astounding and a terrifying as only Mr. McKenzie can provide.

**MR. SHELLEY** took the first two hours to say a few things about the opposition, and particularly about Mr. Manson, which he has evidently been saving up for some time. He admitted at the outset that he had smarted under the lash of Mr. Manson's speeches, and the House had no difficulty in believing that when it had what followed. What followed was a sudden demand from Mr. Shelly that Mr. Manson resign forthwith, and Dr. Winch, of Skeena, along with him, on account of a certain transaction which need not be detailed here.

**YOU MAY** wonder when you read Mr. Shelly's charges in the news columns how the House could be so unpleasant and rather unpleasant situation of this kind. Probably you imagine a House hushed and pale with emotion, a government grim with righteousness and an opposition cowering in its seats. One does not like to dispel such refreshing illusions, but nothing of the sort occurred.

**INSTEAD,** on this particularly unpalatable occasion, Mr. Shelly delivered his charge as if he were addressing a meeting of company directors on a matter of complicated routine business. The government listened complacently, as if nothing out of the ordinary were occurring. The opposition listened with a collective smile, which frequently became a hearty laugh. Even Mr. Manson could not bring himself to any real annoyance, and let Mr. Shelly go on with infrequent interruptions.

**IT WAS** Mr. Manson's smile which encouraged Mr. Shelly to lay on his blows with increasing zest. He said he would take the smile of Mr. Manson's face before he was finished. He would hang Order-in-Council No. 866, the document on which his charges were based, around the neck of Mr. Manson so that it would remain there the rest of his life. Mr. Manson would smart more than Mr. Shelly had smarted and, indeed, if he had a spark of honesty in him he would resign. Mr. Manson smiled and did not resign.

**AT TWENTY** minutes after four Mr. Shelly finally left Mr. Manson and Dr. Winch, with a few friendly quotations from philosophers, ancient and modern. But before Mr. Manson or Dr. Winch could reply Mr. Uphill had interrupted to demand a hearing for the unemployed on the steps of the Legislative Buildings. Despite a storm of objections and all the rules of Parliament, Mr. Uphill proceeded his way into the consciousness of the House and received Mr. Pooley's assurance that justice would be done. It seemed appropriate that Irish Mr. Uphill, with a green tie and a shamrock in his buttonhole, should have a little private fight on St. Patrick's Day.

**WHEN MR. UPHILL** had finished Mr. Manson and Dr. Winch both asked the obvious right to reply to Mr. Shelly's charges. Strategists of the experienced sort felt that in refusing this right, the government's strategy was incredibly poor. According to the strict letter of the rules, these gentlemen had spoken in the budget debate before and had no right to speak again. But they thought, and their friends thought, and Mr. Kirk, a Conservative, thought publicly (while many Conservatives thought privately) that they had been given a chance to defend themselves against extremely grave allegations. Mr. Pooley said they would have this opportunity later during the discussion of estimates. Premier Tolmie wondered whether the budget debate would ever be over if everybody were allowed to answer everybody else. Mr. Kirk said that he felt every courtesy should be extended, but his remaining remarks were drowned in a general Conservative cry for order. Mr. Pattullo said that, anyway, the Shelly charges were frivolous and untrue. And so Mr. Manson and Dr. Winch were not heard and the Shelly charges remained necessarily unanswered, because they said they would have no answer. But we all knew that the argument had just begun, and we suspected that the first real bitterness injected into the session might have results which no one could foresee. For this, according to the code of politics, is war.

**MEANWHILE** the opposition presented its want-of-confidence motion, regretting the government's extravagance, and we went through the motion of a division on it. In a House with a three-to-one government majority such divisions cause no thrills, and the opposition didn't object even when Roderick McKenzie, of Cariboo, walked in to vote after the doors had been closed, in defiance of the ancient ritual.

**THIS FORMALITY** complete and the unpleasantness safely behind us for the day, it was cheerful, if not entirely enlightening, to hear from Mr. McKenzie. It is always cheerful and refreshing to hear from Mr. McKenzie. Mr. McKenzie, but never so much as when he is addressing a few neighbors remarks to his friend, Mr. Pattullo. Mr. McKenzie, of course is the government's best rough-and-tumble fighter, and in a fight where no holds are barred and every one hits in the clinches he has few superiors anywhere. His mind is a veritable card index of glibly memories and ancient mistakes to be hurled at the enemy, and what he hasn't retained in his mind he has safely tucked away in his scrap book of press clippings. He is one of those scrappy warriors who trusts in the gods of politics but keeps his powder dry.

**MR. MCKENZIE'S** purpose was to show how economical and virtuous the present government is. To demonstrate its superiority he had to superimpose it on the old government, and, of course, necessitated a journey into the obscure highways and byways of the past which no one knows so well as Mr. McKenzie. Into the past, then, marched Mr. McKenzie, with his card index and his scrapbook, followed by a shouting, desk-thumping, shouting army of Conservatives, while Premier Tolmie beamed with a great gladness.

**THE HOUSE** soon faced the Mr. McKenzie of song and story, red of face, stentorian of voice, hands flapping in all directions, and the scrapbook working overtime. He said Mr. Pattullo had lured suckers into the South Okanagan scheme. Mr. McKenzie objected to such "vulgar expressions." Mr. Speaker thought it was a little strong. Mr. McKenzie modified it to read "people willing to be fooled." Then he went on to read

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the old Liberal platform. "This was the stuff to feed the troops," he cried with boyish delight, and when Mr. Manson objected, he roared back, "Aha, my friend, you tell me that a rubber stamp is a thing to be proud of, but in this sort of thing to delight the faithful. And again, 'This is the stuff to give the people a taste of the real thing.' The traveling expenses to England, his picture of Mr. Pattullo starting out to interest the aristocracy of England in the aristocratic wives. There should be some sense of dignity, some limit to the barbarity of the House, said Mr. Pattullo. Mr. McKenzie's crushing reply was to point out that Mr. Pattullo had exceeded these limits by accusing the Premier of being a pink-tea artist. The logic was irresistible.

**AND SO** through the adventures of many elections, through the vicissitudes of the late government, even through the famous motion pictures of Mr. Bowser's oyster beds, through a recital of forgotten memories such as only Mr. McKenzie could contrive we arrived at last at dinner time, with the budget debate still under way, with new trouble brewing, and uncertain times ahead.

## MARQUARD IS GIVEN \$1,000

Former Famous Baseball  
Pitcher Wins Suit Against  
Jacksonville Club

Chicago, March 18.—Rube Marquard, one of the greatest pitchers of all time, won a \$1,000 decision in Keneas M. Landis's baseball court yesterday.

The commissioner reversed a ruling of the National Association of Professional Baseball Clubs and ordered the Jacksonville, Fla., club of the Southern League, to pay him for services in selling players from September 8, last, to January 1, 1931.

Marquard sold a player for the club after it had become apparent the Jacksonville League would not function this year, and he had been advised to look for another job, but the club refused to pay him.

## Exhibition Baseball

At Oakland—Pittsburgh (N) 5, Oakland (Cost) 1.  
At San Francisco—Detroit (A) 6, Missions (Cost) 2.  
At Austin—Chicago White Sox 9, University of Texas 4.  
At Los Angeles—Chicago (N) 9, Los Angeles 5.  
At Bradenton, Fla.—Brooklyn (N) 12, St. Louis (N) 7.  
At Palm Beach, Fla.—Buffalo 2, St. Louis (A) 7.  
At Lakeland, Fla.—Philadelphia (N) 9, Columbus 13.  
At St. Petersburg, Fla.—Boston (N) 2, New York (A) 5.

## Jimmy Ward Is Given Valuable Player Trophy

Montreal, March 18.—Between periods of the game between Montreal Maroons and New York Americans here yesterday, the Mappin and Webb trophy, awarded to the most useful player on the Maroon team, was presented to Jimmy Ward, hard-working young sub wing. Ward joined the Maroons about four years ago after playing amateur at Port William.

## Sam Oakes And Eddie Newman In Cue Final

Sam Oakes and Eddie Newman, well-known local cueists, will meet in the final of the Victoria City English Billiard Association championship. The semi-final played at the Metropolitan Billiard Parlor Oakes defeated McKittick 400 to 252 and Newman eliminated Langdon 400 to 238. The final will be played in two blocks of 400 points each, the first to-morrow evening and the second on Monday evening. The winner will gain possession of the handsome cup donated by the Irish brothers, Bert and Charlie.

## Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and easily written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. The publication or non-publication of letters is entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for the preservation or return to the writer of communications submitted to the Editor.

## THE RIGHT WAY

To the Editor:—I have read a great many letters in the press, re bad times and unemployment, but no one seems to be able to suggest a solution. In my opinion the cause of the whole trouble is, that as a people we have forgotten God, and wandered away from Him; and turned His day into one of pleasure, instead of rest and worship, and like Israel of old, until He repented, and returned to Him, and gave Him His rightful place in our lives. Our punishment will continue. We have to learn the lesson, that we cannot neglect God with impunity, and not reap the consequences.

WILLIAM C. HOLT,  
440 Constance Avenue, Victoria,  
March 15, 1931.

## CLEAN UP

To the Editor:—As a tourist in Victoria I have been much interested in what has and is being done to relieve the unemployment. Good advertising for Victoria is by tourists who have been here, telling their friends. What can we tell them? Victoria has much natural beauty, and would be a gem if it were not for the fact your vacant lots are no more or less than a rubbish dump. Sometime two or three blocks. Why not give more work to the unemployed by cleaning up these places at the owner's expense and adding to their taxes the cost of the work? Mr. Pattullo starting out to interest the aristocracy of England in the aristocratic wives. There should be some sense of dignity, some limit to the barbarity of the House, said Mr. Pattullo. Mr. McKenzie's crushing reply was to point out that Mr. Pattullo had exceeded these limits by accusing the Premier of being a pink-tea artist. The logic was irresistible.

Encourage house owners to paint their homes every few years and add much to the preservation of them and to the appearance of your city.

Wake up. Clean up, paint up and you will have no lack of tourists who are advised to follow the birds to Victoria.

HELEN KIMPTON,  
Victoria, March 17, 1931.

## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH SAANICH?

To the Editor:—Saanich is all right, it is the school board. Just to show this extra fine winter gone by with only two days unfit for building, and nothing, nothing but high schools in the air. Oh, well, air is free, especially hot air. In fact, this is the third winter that has gone by in the same old way.

There are fast-growing boys and girls attending the old Tolmie school, doubled up over desks designed for children from 6 to 12 years.

If, and when, the high school does materialize, it is devoutly to be hoped that there will be a technical training department, even if only a few tools and a few boards to start with where they will learn to use their hands. And supposing some of the less useful subjects be replaced by a class in elocution or a debating society, where they will be taught to speak up and express themselves without swooning at the sound of their own voices. One more thought in conclusion, would not it be a nice idea, when the site is chosen for each scholar to plant a tree within the grounds, with some special variety, say an oak for each teacher and, perhaps, an evergreen for each member of the school board.

And here is a good motto to write large over the door posts: "Wisdom is the principal thing, therefore get wisdom."

READER.

## ESQUIMALT BEER PARLORS

To the Editor:—In last night's Times, we were presented with a brain wave by Reeve Elrick, viz. the obtaining of the license fees of the Esquimalt beer parlors. He over three years in office, why did he not bring up that idea during that period? At the present time it looks so suggestive, considering the petition of this kind as they have to foot the bill in every case. In any case, it's their right to know. I would say to the ratpayers, not to take any notice of this sort of proposal, as we don't want to safeguard the parlors, but to get them removed. I would like to hear through the press, the opinions of the ratpayers re the above subject.

A TAXPAYER.

## JONES BROTHERS WIN FIRST GAME

Defeat Rovers in Senior City  
Roller Hockey For First  
Victory of Season

Upsetting the apple cart as far as Victoria's roller hockey league was concerned, Jones Brothers, tail-enders in the senior division, came through in their final scheduled game to take the Rovers into camp by a 3 to 2 score in a fast encounter. Monarchs, former joint occupants with the Rosebuds in first honors in the intermediate section, moved up into one bracket again with a 3 to 2 win over the Canadians.

The senior game was the first won by Jones since they started in the league. West netted two of the goals while Cameron notched the other in the second period. Rovers, trailing from the start, were unable to overcome the visitors' lead.

Teams follow:  
Monarchs—Woodford, O'Connor, White, Holmes, B. O'Connor (2), Crump (1), Skine, Smith (2).  
Canadians—Tibbitt, Robertson, Essler, Stringer, Anderson, Palmer (3), Leske, Pattullo, Barr and Blomfield.  
Rovers—Blackstock, Tyson (1), Farmer, Lambick, Erb, Taylor, Blackstock, Dyer (1), Moore.  
Jones Brothers—Burnett, Hemming, Jackson, West (2), Cameron (1).

## BOBBY JONES ON GOLF

In almost every golf club the fellow who comes in for the most criticism is almost always the chairman of the handicap committee. I can think of no one who can run him a close second, unless it be the person who can be sworn at because of the upkeep, or lack of upkeep of the course. Sometimes the greens chairman does deserve some of the criticism levelled at him, but it is hard to see the justification for flaying the handicap committee for a fault which lies only with the system which he has to use. Naturally no one person or group of persons can be aware of the comparative abilities of all the members of the club, and the best that can be done is a fair and impartial application of the system adopted to the scores turned in.

Two very great difficulties lie in the way of a fair handicap list when one attempts to arrive at it in the accepted way—that is, by some method based upon medal scores for completed rounds in which every hole has been finished and every putt holed. In the first place, a handicap based upon medal play does neither inspire nor deserve confidence when employed to adjust differences in match play; and secondly, because very few golfers are good medallists and usually manage to include one or two bad holes in any card, the medal difference rarely reflects the match play difference. We have all seen fairly respectable cards completely spoiled by a couple of holes in seven each; two bad holes which have run a good total up to an eighty-five, which would entirely wreck any eighty-five made in the conventional manner.

With a handicap list arrived at in this way, I believe that no better basis for arranging match games could be found, and for medal play too it should be as good as any other, for the players to return a score in keeping with his handicap must only secure his average number of pars on each of the remaining holes. The only system, when employed for match play is indirect. It is a compromise by which the player gives or receives varying fractions of the difference between his own score and that of his opponent. Mr. Baer's suggestion is the direct way of arriving at a handicap, based upon the method of play for which it will most generally be used.

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Sovereign Hams, whole or shank half, lb., 25¢  
Smoked Cottage Rolls, lb., 26¢; Picnic Hams, lb., 19¢  
Sliced Back Bacon, lb., 37¢; Boneless Ham, lb., 35¢  
Large Dills, 3 for 10¢; Cottage Cheese, lb., 15¢  
Sliced Roast Pork, lb., 45¢; Corned Beef, lb., 25¢  
Sliced Ox Tongue, lb., 58¢; Boiled Ham, lb., 53¢  
Sliced Lamb Tongue, lb., 55¢; Potato Salad, lb., 20¢

## MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE

Pork Steaks, lb., 18¢; Loin Pork Chops, lb., 23¢  
Oxford Sausage, lb., 11¢; Mince Steak, lb., 13¢  
Lean Boneless Stev Beef, 2 lbs. for.....26¢  
Pork Liver, lb., 10¢; Cooked Tripe, lb., 11¢  
Plate Beef, lb., 10¢; Blade Roasts, lb., 11¢  
Rib Mutton Chops, lb., 18¢; Shoulder Steak, lb., 14¢

## REGULAR COUNTER—DELIVERED

Boneless Brisket Corned Beef, lb., 15¢  
Centre-cut Plate Beef, lb., 10¢; Flank Steak, lb., 20¢  
Centre-cut Shanks of Beef, lb., 10¢; Lamb Steak, lb., 13¢  
Little Pig and Country Style Pork Sausage, lb., 25¢

## Groceries—Cash and Carry

Fry's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. per tin.....23¢  
Regal Shaker Salt, 2 cartons.....19¢  
Ormond's Sodas, 3 cartons.....50¢  
Vittucci's Angelini Olive Oil, quarts, per tin.....73¢  
Libby's Ketchup, per bottle.....18¢  
Quaker Oats with China, per carton.....29¢  
Campfire Marshmallows, 1/2 lb. per tin.....20¢  
Saanich Clams, 1 lb. per tin.....15¢

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Nugget Shoe Polish, all colors, 2 tins for.....19¢  
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Jif Soap Flakes, per packet.....15¢  
Colman's Mustard, 1/2 lb. per tin.....25¢  
I.B.C. Select Sodas, plain or salt, 2 packets for.....25¢  
Golden Graham Wafers, per lb.....18¢  
Five Roses Wheat Granules, 6s. per sack.....28¢  
Sweet Adeline Molasses, 3s. per tin.....17¢  
Spencer's Plum Jam, 4s. per tin.....35¢  
French's Prepared Mustard, per jar.....11¢  
Aylmer Tomatoes, 2s. per tin.....10¢  
Orchard City Peas, No. 5, 2s. 3 tins for.....25¢



## ANOTHER WAR STORY

Ex-Service Man and His "Souvenir"

### Rheumatism That Got Into His Bones

Here's yet another War story. It's about a Service-man who brought home what he called a "souvenir." Actually it was rheumatism and neuralgia. But he had the soldier's light-hearted way of looking at things. He had also the soldier's scepticism of "remedies," yet he was at length persuaded to try Kruschen.

From the time of leaving the Army in 1919 until a year ago, I was a constant sufferer from rheumatism, which was frequently accompanied by neuralgia. I had tried various remedies, both internal and external, but with little or no relief. Friends had often told me to try Kruschen, but I'd always turned them down with "Oh, it's like all the rest of the stuff," or "I think it's got thoroughly into my bones in the Army, and I suppose it will remain as a souvenir of the Great War." Finally, I was persuaded to give Kruschen a trial, but even then I took them just to prove that they were useless. Imagine my surprise when after a few doses both complaints had vanished, and I've never had the slightest rheumatic pain since. Now I, in turn, tell every sufferer I come



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### Garden City

The Garden City United Church Women's Missionary Auxiliary met recently at the home of Mrs. Raynor, Carey Road, with Mrs. Perry in the chair. After a scripture reading by Mrs. Reid a discussion on the allocation took place, and a collection was taken to pay

for materials. Mrs. Glass offered her home for quilt making. Mrs. Reid and Miss Sangster sang a duet, and Japan was studied. The meeting prayed for Kagawa, Christian leader of the Kingdom of God movement in Japan. The hostess served refreshments and the president expressed the appreciation of the auxiliary to Mrs. Raynor for use of her home for the winter meetings. The next meeting will be held in the church on April 8.

## USE THE SAFEGUARDED MILK



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## QUESTIONS ASKED IN LEGISLATURE

L. A. Hanna asked the Provincial Secretary the following questions:  
1. Is one John A. Gauthier in the employ of the government in any capacity?  
2. If so, under what department is he employed, and what are his duties?  
Hon. S. L. Howe replied as follows:  
1. Yes; temporarily.  
2. Public Works, highway sign-writer's helper.

J. A. Buckham asked the Minister of Public Works the following question:  
Has the department purchased any property in the vicinity of Douglas for highway or other purposes?  
Hon. R. W. Bruhn replied:  
Yes; for highway purposes.

L. A. Hanna asked the Minister of Public Works:  
Did the department purchase any property for highway purposes between the Old Yale Road near Langley Prairie and the Johnstone Town Line Road?  
Hon. R. W. Bruhn replied as follows:  
No.

Mr. Sutherland asked the Minister of Public Works:  
1. What is the total mileage of public roads and trails in the Cariboo Riding?  
2. What amount was spent during 1930 upon such roads and trails?  
Hon. R. W. Bruhn replied as follows:  
1. 3,110 miles.  
2. Information will be shown in 1930-31 Public Accounts.

## RESEARCH FINDS HELP MOTORING

Road and Car Developments  
Owe Much to Research Laboratories

### TEAR CARS APART

One Manufacturer Makes 200,000 Test Operations Each Year

The two major providers for motoring, the automobile industry and highway development owe to the research laboratory great debts for their development. This point is being driven home by a tour of one hundred industrial executives of Canada and the United States, who are being conducted through laboratories in these fields by the National Research Council.

Automobile manufacturers have installed research laboratories for enabling them to learn things about combustion and the theories of gas engines which have been obscure up to the present time, but which now promise to revolutionize motor performance. They have devised methods for testing their finished products for defects in materials, both before they are assembled and throughout and after assembly. Many devices have been produced for artificially reproducing road shock, body strain and weave, bearing and spring operation and wear. One manufacturer has as many as 200,000 test operations to be made yearly on its cars to assure proper construction and operation when they reach the field. The automobile designers literally tear their test machines apart to-day to find out how they stand the strain and correct any low factors of safety or efficiency.

Road building has developed into an exact science from a simple beginning, when levelling off and tamping down were the order of the day. Highway research is now an established fact. Machines have been developed which artificially reproduce traffic so that chunks of road building material can be measured for wear. Test roads have been built and scientific road building technique has been devised and perfected.

The petroleum industry, closely related to the automotive industry, has contributed much to the advancement of motoring in all its phases and is perhaps the most outstanding example of the growth of the laboratory in industry.

### Keating

Keating won two games from Lady-smith hoop teams in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Saturday evening. Keating senior "C" beat Lady-smith intermediate "A" men, 22 to 17, in a hard checking affair. Keating leading 8 to 4 at half time. Keating senior "B" men downed Lady-smith, 24 to 15. The game between Keating and Lady-smith girls was cancelled. Dancing followed refreshments.

W. Downes of the entomological branch will speak on the life history of the leaf hopper of loganberry at the regular monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute in the Temperance Hall on Thursday evening. The monthly meeting of the South Saanich Junior Institute Club was held at the home of Miss Nellie and Alice Sytan on Saturday afternoon with a good attendance. Mrs. Campbell of Victoria gave a demonstration of basketry and weaving. Tea was served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ona Young on April 11, when Mrs. Campbell will give another demonstration of weaving.

The South Saanich Women's Institute will meet in the Temperance Hall on Thursday evening.

### BRITAIN'S RAREST BIRD

What is the rarest of the British wild birds?

That honor seems to belong to the buff-backed heron, a young specimen of which has been making its home in Devonshire this year. This bird has been reported in Britain only three times in the last century and a quarter.

Another rare bird has caused a good deal of excitement among nature-lovers in East Anglia recently. This was a flamingo.

It, however, is on rather a different footing to the buff-backed heron. It was discovered that it had been kept as a pet, in partial confinement, and had flown away one day about a month ago, taking up its home on the Broads. Wild flamingos have, however, been known to visit our shores.—From Answers.

Airman—"I flew into an air pocket." Country Lad—"Was there a hole in it, mister?"

## Spring Sports Apparel Smart and Inexpensive



### Smart Sports DRESSES For Misses

Very attractive Dresses for sports wear this spring are made from tweed Jerseys and wool mixtures, featuring such popular shades as green, blue, rust, tango, brown, beige, scarlet combined with navy and black. The Dresses are youthful in appearance, and neatly trimmed, with bandings, buttons, collars, cuffs and leather flowers. Sizes 14 to 17; for

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### Corticelli Silk Hosiery LIGHT SERVICE WEIGHT A PAIR

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Chickens and Baskets... 5¢ to ..... **35¢**

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### A New Shipment of Novelty Costume Jewelry



Featuring the newest creations for spring wear:

Chokers of crystal or synthetic stones.  
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Novelty Clips for hat or dress.  
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Mousquetaire Gloves, in six or eight-button-lengths, in beautiful quality French kid.

Six-button length, a pair ..... **\$3.50**  
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Washable Kid Gloves of soft pliable skins with pique sewn seams. Smart pull-on style with scalloped welt cuffs in all the newest spring shades. A pair ..... **\$2.95**

—Gloves, Main Floor

### Junior Sports Apparel For Spring

Nothing is smarter for spring than a new Leather or Leatherette Coat, and the girl of 7 to 10 will find it the most useful thing in her wardrobe. In blue, rose, brown and green. Each

**\$10.95 and \$5.95**

All-wool Pullovers are also smart sports wear. In scarlet, brown, rosewood, blue and fawn. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Each,

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Navy Blue Serge Skirts may have inch or box pleats. Most practical with a detachable bodice of white cotton. Sizes 2 to 14 years. Each,

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Rayon Satin Corsette with swami top, fitted waist and long hip. Lightly boned down back and across abdomen. Priced at, each,

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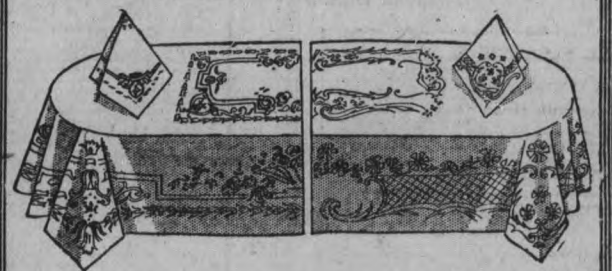
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Corsets, First Floor

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Annual Linen Shower

THURSDAY, MARCH 19



## Special Three Days' Sale of PURE IRISH LINENS

Commencing Thursday

A special purchase of mill substandards in Cloths and Napkins enables us to offer them at prices that will appeal.

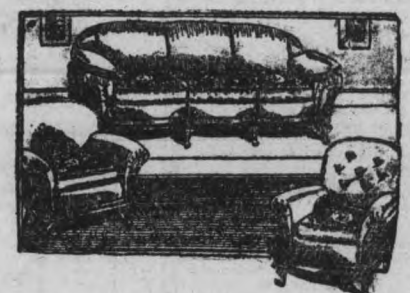
Hemmed or Hemstitched Cloths of fine linen damask; 54x54 inches, each .....	<b>\$2.98</b>
60x70 inches, each .....	<b>\$3.95</b>
68x68 inches, each .....	<b>\$2.98</b>
66x84 inches, each .....	<b>\$3.35</b>
70x70 inches, each .....	<b>\$2.60</b>
70x90 inches, each .....	<b>\$3.25</b>
70x108 inches, each .....	<b>\$6.60</b>
70x126 inches, each .....	<b>\$6.50</b>
70x144 inches, each .....	<b>\$10.00</b>
Hemstitched Napkins, to match, per dozen ....	<b>\$3.50</b>

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Damask Cloths, 70x106 inches, each ..... **\$3.15**

Linen Damask Dinner Cloths in white and colors. Sizes 72x72, 72x90 and 72x108 inches. Slightly shop soiled. At ..... **ONE-THIRD OFF**

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Chesterfield Suite upholstered with taupe mohair, has reversible spring-filled cushions, covered with floral design frieze in a choice of patterns. Construction guaranteed ..... **\$235.00**

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# DAUGHTER OF AIMEE WEDS



Roberta, twenty-year-old daughter of Evangelist Aimee Semple McPherson, is on her honeymoon now with William Bradley Smyth, twenty-three, whom she married in Singapore last week. Smyth is pastor on the liner President Wilson on which Mrs. McPherson and her daughter are making a world tour.

## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY

With fashions more "feminine" than they have been in years, many a woman is longing for a suggestion of a curve or a dimple. The person who has kept herself slender by means of restricted dieting can add her pounds as she will, but the girl who is just naturally too thin has a different problem.

Underweight is seldom wholly a matter of diet, although the other causes usually go hand in hand with faulty food habits of some sort.

The person who is underweight from some obscure physical cause, mental conflict or overwork faces a different problem than the one who is thin because of faulty food habits.

The underweight who has no appetite should select foods which will stimulate a desire for food. Lack of appetite and small consumption of food usually goes with small stomach capacity. As the appetite increases and the amount of food eaten each meal increases the capacity of the stomach for food increases with the inevitable reaction of a natural desire for food. In other words the first thing the too-thin person must do is to actually stretch her stomach.

### MAYBE SLEEP IS NEEDED

The person who is thin due to an inordinate amount of activity in proportion to his physical ability to hold food enough to maintain the activity and at the same time time in weight must increase his sleep rest periods.

Then there are the underweights who have the appetite and the desire to gain but who do not eat the right foods. Milk, which is so valuable as a food, can be taken in many forms—hot, cold, with added cream or milk, sugar, or both, in cocoa and chocolate, in custards, sherbets and ice creams, and as buttermilk. It is one of the easiest foods to add to the diet.

The following suggestions are specific and will form a working basis for those underweights whom the dietitian can help.

Fruit, fruit juices, succulent vegetables, yeast bread, and meat fruits stimulate the appetite. These foods make a perfect elimination, which is essential for good health before a gaining diet can be considered.

Plenty of good, wholesome food normally required by everybody must be supplied before adding the so-called "fattening" foods. The excessive use of weight-gaining foods alone might do more harm than good. This general menu for a day should be kept in mind.

Breakfast—Fruit, cereal with sugar and cream, eggs, toast or other bread stuff with butter, milk or coffee.

Luncheon—Cream vegetable soup, croquettes, fresh fruit or vegetable salad, bread or rolls with butter, dessert made of milk and eggs served with cream.

Dinner—Bouillon, meat, potato, cooked vegetable, raw vegetable or salad, bread and butter dessert.

After this diet has been provided, the reinforcements can be brought in. Mid-morning and mid-afternoon lunches are an easy way to increase the food intake. A glass of milk or egg nog just before going to bed is often effective.

However, in the zeal to add fats and carbohydrates to one's diet, care must be taken to prevent stomach upsets. One of the safest ways to add fats is in the seasoning of vegetables, serving cream with the breakfast cereal, using desserts which combine cream with fruit, and using extra bread and butter.

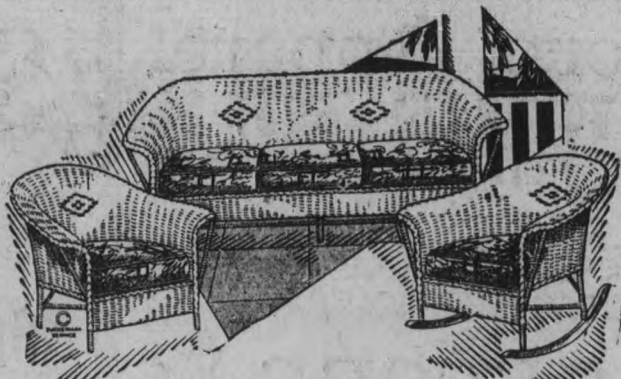
Milk and eggs are fattening and, if plenty of fresh vegetables and fruits are used, can be included in a gaining diet in abundance. A quart of milk a day in place of the usual pint for an adult, an extra egg, salted nuts, a piece of candy after luncheon or dinner, an extra pat of butter at each meal, these together with larger proportions of food generally will bring about an appreciable gain in weight for the too-thin person.

Gentle exercise in the fresh air and plenty of sleep will insure good healthy flesh under a clear complexion if the background of a correct diet has been furnished.

**DAILY MENU**  
Breakfast—Orange juice, cereal, cream, creamed fish on rye toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Asparagus in ramikins, bean and raisin bread, nut and date pudding with whipped cream, milk, tea.

Dinner—Pot roast of beef with brown gravy, mashed potatoes carrots in orange sauce, grape fruit and cabbage salad, coconut cream pie, milk, coffee.



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3 lbs. for ..... **90¢**  
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24-lb. sack ..... **78¢**  
49-lb. sack ..... **\$1.68**  
98-lb. sack ..... **\$3.25**

Aylmer Brand Red Plums, No. 2 1/2 tin for ..... **15¢**  
Australian Apples, No. 2 1/2 tin for ..... **23¢**  
3 tins for ..... **65¢**  
Australian Peaches, No. 2 1/2 tin for ..... **21¢**  
3 tins for ..... **60¢**  
Australian Pears, No. 2 1/2 tin, 27¢  
3 tins for ..... **75¢**  
Beach's Raspberry and Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tins. Special ..... **57¢**  
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Golden Strand Sliced Pineapple, special, 3 tins for ..... **29¢**

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3 tins for ..... **35¢**  
Aylmer Green Beans, special, 2 tins for ..... **25¢**  
Quaker Corn, No. 2 tin, 2 tins 25¢  
Royal City Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 tin, 2 tins for ..... **25¢**

Quaker Peas, No. 2 tin, size 3. Per tin ..... **15¢**  
3 tins for ..... **42¢**  
Mother's Soup, vegetable, tomato or pea. Per tin ..... **10¢**  
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Mild Ontario Cheese, special, per lb. at ..... **21¢**  
Brookfield or Goldenloaf Cheese, per pkt. .... **18¢**  
Local First Eggs, per dozen. .... **24¢**  
3 dozen for ..... **70¢**  
Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. 48¢  
Jellied Lunch Tongue, sliced, per lb. .... **55¢**  
Home-made Potted Beef, per dish, 20¢ and ..... **30¢**

—Quality Food Market,  
—Lower Main Floor, HBC

## Economy Day Specials in the Drug Section

Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, 16-oz. Regular 75¢ ..... **50¢**  
Kleenex, regular 25¢ ..... **21¢**  
Milk of Magnesia, reg. 25¢ ..... **21¢**  
Kotex, Reg. 60¢, at 2 for ..... **79¢**  
Giant Toilet Tissues, regular 10¢, 12 for ..... **79¢**  
Bayer's Aspirin, 24¢, regular 45¢, for ..... **39¢**  
Lysol, large, Reg. \$1.50, **\$1.29**  
Liquid Petroleum, 16-oz. Regular 75¢ ..... **59¢**  
Selditz Powders, regular 35¢, 19¢  
A. B. & C. Tablets, regular 35¢, for ..... **19¢**  
French Castile Soap, 45¢ bar, 33¢ for ..... **19¢**  
Jergens' Lotion, regular \$1.00, for ..... **89¢**  
Moth Bags, side opening. Regular \$1.00, for a cool shave. Regular 50¢ ..... **42¢**  
Forhan's Tooth Paste, regular 60¢, for ..... **46¢**  
Vantine's Lincene, regular 45¢, for ..... **40¢**  
Pond's Creams, cold or vanishing. 50¢ ..... **39¢**  
Hospital Soap, regular 60¢ 1-lb. roll ..... **50¢**

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—Tobacco,  
—Main Floor, HBC

## HBC GROCETERIA CARRY AND SAVE

### Economy Day Bargains in Best Quality Groceries

#### TWO EXTRA SPECIALS, FROM 9 TO 11 A.M. ONLY

Tea, HBC No. 1 Ceylon Pekoe, 3 lbs. for ..... **70¢**

King-Beach Superior Orange Marmalade, 40-oz. jar ..... **31¢**  
Fry's Cocoa, 1/2-lb. tin ..... **23¢**

Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 tins; 2 tins for ..... **15¢**

King-Beach Peaches, No. 2 tin, 19¢  
Prunes, Santa Clara, 2-lb. bag, 17¢

Quaker Quick Oats, large pkt., for ..... **19¢**  
Large pkt., with china ..... **29¢**

King-Beach Strawberry Jam, 40-oz. jar ..... **39¢**  
Heinz Baked Beans, 11-oz. tins; 3 tins for ..... **25¢**

## Sewing Cottons 6 for 45¢

J. and P. Coats' 200-yard Spools of Sewing Cottons—white or black; all numbers.

—Main Floor, HBC



# Hudson's Bay

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# HBC ECO

## Make Thursday Your Big Shopping Day—H

### An Attractive Stationery Special

Regular \$1.00  
Economy Day Bargain..... **59¢**

One-pound package (100 sheets) of linen-finish Notepaper and 75 Envelopes to match, complete for this remarkably reduced price for Economy Day shoppers.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Decorated Bridge Score Pads

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **9¢**

3 for 25¢  
An exceptional offering in decorated Bridge Score Pads at a drastic saving from regular price.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Reprint Copyright Novels

Regular 80¢  
Economy Day..... **69¢**

A bargain group of popular fiction specially priced for Economy Day shoppers. Book lovers will welcome this opportunity to secure good entertaining books at a decided saving.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Useful Bargains in the Hardware Section

150 Aluminum Range Kettles, 3-pint size. Each ..... **85¢**  
Grocery Sets, comprising flour, sugar, coffee and tea. Special, per set ..... **95¢**  
Pantry Stools with strong steps and 3 feet in height. Special at ..... **\$1.00**  
Serving Trays with glass bottom and mahogany-finish frame with brass handles. Special..... **\$1.00**

### ALUMINUM KITCHEN UTENSILS

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **95¢**

Round Double Roasters, 4-quart Tea Kettles, 5-quart Potato Pots, 4-quart Straight Covered Sauce-pans, 5-cup Percolators, 2-quart Double Boilers. Each of these useful and dependable articles is available at the above low price.

—Third Floor, HBC

## 2c a lb.

Off All Fresh

## Meats

Ordered Economy Day. This includes Poultry. Delivery Thursday, Friday or Saturday, as preferred. Phone E7111—Ask for Meat Department.

—Quality Food Market,  
Lower Main Floor, HBC

## 150 Pieces Rayon Lingerie



Values to \$1.95  
Economy Day..... **\$1.00**

This special purchase set aside for Economy-day shoppers represents one of the most outstanding values of the new spring season. All these fine quality garments were cleared to us at one-third to one-half off their regular price. The assortment includes—

### Tailored Rayon Nightgowns

Rayon Lace-trimmed Slips

Rayon Shadowproof Slips with built-up strap

Rayon Lace-trimmed Bloomers, Dance Sets, Petticoats and Combinations

In pastel shades and in small, medium and large sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Sale of Smart Daytime Frocks

There are extraordinary values in this special group of smart Daytime Frocks in Count-quality prints, broadcloths and figured lineens in smart princess styles with organdie and contrasting trimmings. There are many pleasing checked, figured and floral patterns.

**\$1.39**

Sizes 14 to 42.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Ready-to-wear Bargains for Economy Day

### Wool Knit Sports Frocks

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **\$9.95**

Jaunty one-piece Frocks of all-wool tweed knit are available in the gayest colors and novelty mixtures. The skirts show flares and pleats and there are belted waists and dainty crepe de Chine collars. Sizes 16 to 38.

### A Group of Sports and Afternoon Frocks

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **\$4.95**

It is not often that there is such an opportunity to procure really stylish Frocks that are smart, dressy and up-to-date at such a bargain price as this. Some are in Celanese crepe; others in printed martaline, and then there are the wool and rayon knit for sports wear as well as for general occasions. Odd colors and sizes.

### A Special in Tweed Coats

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **\$12.95**

This good assortment of Tweed Coats in new spring mixtures includes stylish types for the junior miss. These feature the novelty scarf collars, higher waistlines, etc. There are also some smartly tailored styles with attractive features for the woman of average build.

—Second Floor, HBC

### Novelty Overblouses

Regular \$4.95  
Economy Day..... **\$1.95**

These fascinating Overblouses are of fancy rayon knit in striped and checked effects. They have convertible collars and two pockets, and are nicely trimmed with buttons and other cleverly arranged details.

### Jumbo Knit Pullovers

Values to \$3.95  
Economy Day..... **\$1.95**

Here are some heavy Knitted Pullovers for hiking, fishing and golf. They have shawl collars of fancy stitch and ribbed borders. Choose from white or scarlet. Sizes 38 to 48.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Children's Spring Reefers

Special Bargain Economy Day

**\$2.75**

Tweed and novelty wool Serge Reefers, nicely lined and finished with the same careful detail as our higher-priced garments. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. The number is limited.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Bridge Playing Cards

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **29¢**

High-grade Bridge Playing Cards specially priced for Economy Day only.

—Stationery,  
—Main Floor, HBC

## Girls' Wool Jersey Frocks

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **2.99**

Mothers will be well advised to obtain these fine imported Wool Frocks for their girls. They are in two-piece effects with pleated skirt and polo collar. Shown in green, blue and cardigan. Sizes for 8 to 14 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Girls' Rayon Vests and Bloomers

Special Bargain  
Per Garment..... **50¢**

The Vests are of fine quality rayon silk with opera top, and Bloomers are well made with double gussets. In white, pink, blue and orchid. Sizes 2 to 14 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Little Girls' Panties Frocks

Regular \$2.95  
Economy Day..... **1.99**

Imported wool jersey and wool knit Frocks with polo collars and shown in assorted bright shades. Sizes for 1 and 3 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## 50 Girls' Frocks

(Crayshen, Linen and Broadcloth)

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **1.99**

The Crayshen Frocks are in smart styles with the "fifty" linens. The figured Linen and Broadcloth Frocks are equally attractive and up-to-date. Sizes for 8 to 14 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Children's Melton Blazers

Special Bargain  
Economy Day..... **2.99**

Very popular with both children and their parents are these English Blazers in navy or grey trimmed with assorted cords silk braid. There are also a few odd colors in striped flannel. All sizes in the assortment for 6 to 18 years.

—Second Floor, HBC

## Rayon Silk Vests and Bloomers

Regular to \$1.00  
Economy Day..... **59¢**

Many of our finer quality garments are included in this special group for Thursday shoppers. The colors and sizes are broken hence this attractive low price.

—Second Floor, HBC



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## Spun Silks

### 3 Yards for \$1.00

Standard quality for slips, lingerie, dresses, etc. All colors.

—Main Floor, HBC

# ECONOMY DAY

## Hundreds of Bargains Throughout the Store



### 200 New Spring Straws

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**\$1.95**

Never before have we been able to offer such values so early in the season! For these inexpensive Hats are of the very newest styles, featuring drooping brims, tricornes, halos and turbans in the new straw fabrics—some in very youthful styles and others in matrons' styles. There are small, medium and EXTRA LARGE head sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

### New Wrap-around Turbans

Three dozen Wrap-around Turbans in new assorted colors, and one dozen Jersey Cloth Wrap-around Turbans—all new and attractive in style—are offered for Economy Day at this bargain price.

—Second Floor, HBC

**79c**

### A Group of Pretty Neckwear

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**\$1.00**

This group of Neckwear is being offered as a bargain. It consists of lace and georgette, crepe de Chine and figured silk collar and cuff sets, jabot tie effects and Berthas in all the new styles. In shades of cream or ecru and in white.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Women's Light-weight Combinations

Regular to \$2.25  
Economy Day.....**1.59**

These special tailored Rayon Silk and Lisle Combinations are offered as a bargain for Economy Day shoppers. They have the ribbed knee and opera top, and are shown in pink, peach, white and orchid. They are in small, medium and large sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

### Young Women's Rayon Silk Pyjamas

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.39**

The younger set will favor these smart tuck-in styles and the two-tone colorings, with motif and contrasting trimmings. They are in small, medium and large sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

### 60 Women's Win-cettee Nightgowns

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

A special purchase set aside for Economy Day shoppers, consists of fine quality English Win-cettee Nightgowns with short sleeves and V or round neck and embroidered trimmings. In white and pastel shades and including large sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

### Women's Smocks and Hoover Frocks

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

For these spring days you will need one of these serviceable cotton broadcloth Smocks or Hooverfrocks; also printed broadcloth and cotton print Hooverfrocks. Assorted colors, also black and floral patterns. Sizes 36 to 44.

—Second Floor, HBC

### Economy Buying For Art Needle-workers

Stamped Pillow Cases of excellent quality cotton. Choice of several good designs; two-inch hemstitched hems. Per pair.....**89c**

Stamped White Linen Bureau Scarves.....**\$1.75**

Stamped Bureau Scarves.....**2 for 75c**

Four new designs in good quality cotton. Size 18x45. Each.....**25c**

Organdie Boudoir Pillows.....**49c**

Fancy Pillows stamped in dainty floral designs for working in silk. Each.....**49c**

—Second Floor, HBC

### Women's Thread Silk Hose

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**50c**

3 Pairs for \$1.25 These are good quality seamless Thread Silk Hose, well reinforced at the heels and toes. They are silk to the top and are shown in all the new spring shades. All sizes, 8½ to 10.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Women's Wool Combinations

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.50**

These are fine spring-weight Wool Combinations with tight knee and built-up strap. They are in pink or white and in small, medium and large sizes.

—Second Floor, HBC

### Women's Kid and Suede Gloves

Regular to \$3.50  
Economy Day.....**2.29**

This is an opportunity to pick up some useful and stylish gloves in a variety of good gloves, made from pliable skins and well fitting. Broken assortments of colors and sizes.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Service Weight Silk Hose

Formerly \$1.95  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

Here are some broken assortments of various makes—each pair most certainly being a bargain, as they sold formerly at nearly twice the price at which they are now offered. All have reinforced heels and toes and late hem tops. Sizes 8, 8½, 9 and 9½.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Chamoisette Gloves

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**69c**

These useful Gloves are well fitting and washable. They are made with novelty cuffs or in the popular all-clip-on style. Choose from natural, fawn, beaver and grey. Sizes 5½ to 8.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Drapery Remnants Half Price

In this accumulation of short lengths of Drapery Fabrics from our workroom may be found high-class silks, nets, cretonnes and shadow cloths, in a wide variety of patterns and colors. All marked down to half their regular prices.

—Third Floor, HBC



### Women's Sports Oxfords

A Great Bargain at  
**\$3.39**

Smart up-to-date Oxfords in combination colors of smoked elk with black or brown trim; also brown and beige with fancy interlace trimmings, heavy rubber soles and heels. Flexible, strong and comfortable. All sizes, 2½ to 7.

### Silk Scarves

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

New Georgette and Crepe de Chine Scarves in oblong style, with all-over designs in contrasting shades, including Nile, peach, sage, coral, flesh, beige, orchid, champagne and white with black.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Sets of English Kitchen Bowls

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**95c**

In sets of five Bowls, with sizes ranging from 5 to 8 inches. These are attractive with floral decorations.

—Third Floor, HBC

### China Cups and Saucers

3 for \$1.00

English China Tea Cups and Saucers, in floral and band decorations and in low and tall styles.

—Third Floor, HBC

### English Teapots

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**49c**

English Rockingham Teapots in floral and band decorations and in 4 and 6-cup sizes.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Tumblers 12 for 50c

Water Tumblers in medium weight for kitchen use or for use as jelly glasses.

—Third Floor, HBC

### 48-inch Shadowcloth

Regular \$1.25 a Yard  
Economy Day Bargain.....**89c**

The soft dainty colorings make this cloth ideal for curtains or coverings. Be sure to avail yourself of this opportunity.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Madras Muslin

Regular 39c a Yard  
Economy Day Bargain.....**29c**

This ever-popular curtain fabric is 36 inches wide and is now shown in all new patterns.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Rayon Panels

Regular \$1.75 Each  
Economy Day Bargain.....**1.39**

For sheer beauty and a complete change in curtains there is nothing so finished as a Panel with fringe trimmings. Here are four new patterns in cream and honey.

—Third Floor, HBC

### 300 Yards Feltol Floor Covering

Special Bargain  
Per Square Yard.....**44c**

This popular Floor Covering can be used in any room in the home. It has good-wearing quality. Width 6 feet.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Inlaid Linoleum

Special Bargain  
Per Square Yard.....**1.15**

Imported English and Scotch Inlaid Linoleum—all good patterns, suitable for kitchen, hall, living-room, bathroom or bedroom.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Reversible Wool Rugs

Special Bargain  
Each.....**98c**

These are made from the waste wool of the best Axminster carpets. The colors are pleasingly blended, though no particular design is woven. Size 27x54 inches.

—Third Floor, HBC

### Double-bed Size Flannelette Blankets

Economy Day  
Per Pair.....**2.29**

Nice cozy Blankets in white and grey, with pink or blue borders.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Double-bed Size White Wool Blankets

Economy Day  
Each.....**3.98**

A great value at this price, which is only possible because some are slightly torn or imperfect in weave.

—Main Floor, HBC

### White Turkish Bath Towels

Special Bargain  
Economy Day, Each.....**39c**

Made with a lofty pile, ensuring good drying quality. Size 24x48 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Pure Linen Hand Towels

Economy Day  
Each.....**15c**

Size 16x30 inches. Finished with colored borders, these neat, serviceable Towels are a great bargain at this price.

—Main Floor, HBC

# Annual Spring Sale

## Suits and Topcoats

### \$16.50

Thursday, Friday, Saturday



New Styles  
New Patterns  
Perfect Tailoring  
Remarkable Value



### One and Two-trouser Suits

Tweeds . . . herringbones . . . checks and plain mixtures . . . fine stripe worsteds . . . blue serges . . . all are included in this great offering of Spring Suits. Single and double-breasted models, perfectly tailored in sizes and types for every build.

### Smart New Spring Coats

Choose from Raglans or plain shoulders, loose slip-on models, single-breasted, double-breasted and the popular guardsman model. Grey, brown and tan shades, in all-wool tweeds. Half lined with art satin. All sizes, 35 to 44.

### Avail Yourself of This Great Clothing Value

The result of exceptionally shrewd purchasing upon the part of our clothing buyer—this really is one of the most remarkable clothing values we have yet had the pleasure of offering. \$16.50 Suits and Topcoats have been offered before, but not Suits and Topcoats like these. The tailoring, the fabrics, the styles, all belong to much higher-priced garments, as you will agree when you see them. All one price Thursday, Friday and Saturday—

See Them in Our Windows **16.50** Sale Starts Thursday, 9 o'Clock  
—Main Floor, HBC

### Hemstitched Linen Pillow Cases

Economy Day  
Each.....**88c**

Size 44x33 inches. Made from a fine-textured linen and finished with hemstitched ends. These Pillow Cases are cheaper than cotton and will wear much longer.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Union Linen Tea Towels

Economy Day  
Each.....**25c**

Size 23x33 inches. A hard-wearing Tea Towel and of a good drying quality.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Snow White Damask Tablecloths

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

A value that is only procurable on Economy Day. Made from high-grade mercerized yarns, in floral patterns. Size 24x54 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Pure Linen Damask Tablecloths

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.98**

In two sizes—70x70 inches and 70x98 inches. A wonderful value.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Hemstitched Linen Crash Tablecloths

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.49**

Size 54x54 inches. There are just 50 of these hemstitched Linen Crash Cloths with novelty borders.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Novelty Stripe Tweeds and Wool Delaines

Economy Day  
Per Yard.....**69c**

These are good-wearing and attractive wool fabrics—the Tweed in stripe effects; the Delaines in floral patterns. Width 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### 1,000 Yards Fine Wash Fabrics

Economy Day  
Per Yard.....**25c**

Including Ginghams, in neat block check effects; Zephyrs in self colorings. Printed Crepes. Prints in novelty patterns, Dimities, Broadcloths and Hair Cord Lingerie Voiles. Widths 32 and 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Black Duchesse Satins

Regular \$2.50 Yard  
Economy Day.....**1.69**

Only a limited quantity of this heavy black Duchesse Satin in this superbly rich quality is available at this remarkably reduced price. Width 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Satin Brilliants

Economy Day  
Per Yard.....**98c**

These fabrics are of closely woven texture and bright satin surface. They are specially suitable for dresses, slips, linings, and other uses. Colors are mauve, turquoise, flame, violet, pink, rose, gold, navy and black. Width 36 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Boys' Heavy Golf Hose

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**25c**

Heavy cotton rib in good brown and fawn Lovat shades with fancy tops. A good line for hard wear at school. All sizes for 4 to 10 years.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Boys' Leather-end Braces

Regular 25c  
Economy Day.....**10c**

These Braces are made with a good elastic web and leather ends. They are strong and serviceable for boys from 4 to 12 years old.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Children's Merino Combinations

2 Suits for 95c

A good weight merino in natural light shades, is made up with short sleeves and in knicker length with open crotch. These Combinations are suitable for boys and girls. All sizes, from 4 years to 12 years.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Boys' Fancy Pallovers

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**1.00**

Fancy weave all-wool in smart fawn shades, made with V neck and two pockets. These ideal school garments are just right for this season. All sizes for 8 to 13 years.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Men's Balbriggan Combinations

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**50c**

Garments of closely woven fabric in natural ecru shade, made with short sleeves and in ankle length. All sizes, 36 to 44.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Men's Broadcloth Shirts

Special Bargain  
Economy Day.....**79c**

Plain and stripe broadcloth, in collar-attached style or with separate collar. There are not all sizes in each style but all sizes are represented in the group. The quantity is limited.

—Main Floor, HBC

## Famed as Counsel In Notorious Cases, Sir E. Clark Now 90

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times  
London—The King sent a message of congratulation to Sir Edward Clarke, K.C., who has just celebrated his ninety-ninth birthday at his home, Peterhouse, Staines, Middlesex.

Sir Edward also received congratulations from the Attorney-General, Sir John Simon, Lord Reading, and many others.

The King's message read: "On this, your ninety-ninth birthday, I offer you my sincere congratulations, and as senior bencher of Lincoln's Inn, know that your brother benchers will join with me in these good wishes. I trust that you are in enjoyment of your usual vigorous good health."

Sir Edward attended morning service at St. Peter's Church, Staines, carrying out his duties as churchwarden. Sir Edward built St. Peter's thirty-seven years ago at a cost of over £12,000. Later in the day he was the recipient from the townspeople of a volume containing an address and the names of the subscribers to a fund, which will be devoted to placing a three-light window in St. Peter's.

A self-made man, whose father was a small London jeweler, Sir Edward entered the India Office as a writer at a very early age, and in this way earned sufficient money to study for the Tancard law studentship, which he won at the age of twenty. In 1864 he was called at Lincoln's Inn. As a barrister he made an immediate success in the Penge murder case, and later acted in the Tanby Croft bacarat scandal, the Jameson Raid case and the Oscar Wilde case. In spite of his success as an advocate, he had greater ambitions in politics than in the law, and refused both the Mastership of the Rolls and a judgeship.

Sir Edward's opportunity of standing as a parliamentary candidate came in 1880, and he was elected, but scarcely had he delivered his maiden speech when Parliament was dissolved, and at the ensuing election he lost his seat. A by-election at Plymouth gave him another opportunity, and he was elected for a constituency which retained him as its member for twenty years.

In Parliament, Sir Edward soon made his name as a vigorous orator, and in 1886 he was appointed Solicitor-General by Lord Salisbury and knighted. After a short retirement from Parliament he achieved one of his greatest ambitions by being returned in 1905 for the place of his birth—the City of London. But the Conservatives were evidently destined to spend several years in opposition. For that reason, perhaps, Sir Edward resigned this seat after holding it for only six months, and so, after thirty-six years of political activity, that part of his career definitely ended. His career at the Bar continued with diminishing activity until 1914, when he retired after half-a-century's work.

## German Pays Tribute To British Army

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times  
London—The German system of attack in massed formation as compared with the British preference for extended order, a method that demands higher morale and the greater individuality of better-trained soldiers, made an ineradicable impression on a German captain of Grenadiers, Walter Bloem.

His book, "The Advance from Mons," has been well read in Germany for some years, but has only recently received English translation. It merits as wide an attention in this country, equally for its military data as its literary quality. There is one passage in which he gives a description of the English Tenth Infantry Brigade attacking across the valley of the Aisne on September 13:

"Stretched out across the broad expanse of meadows between us and the river was a long line of dots far apart, and, looking through glasses, one saw that these dots were infantry advancing, widely extended: English infantry, too, unmistakably. A field battery on our left had spotted them, and we watched their shrill whistles bursting over the advancing line. Soon a second line of dots emerged from the willows along the river bank, at least ten paces apart, and began to advance. More of our batteries came into action.

"The front line had taken cover when the shelling began, running behind any hedges or buildings near by, but this second line kept steadily on, while a third and fourth line appeared from the river banks, each keeping about 200 yards' distance from the line in front. Our guns now fired like mad, but it did not stop the movement. A fifth and a sixth line came on, all with the same wide intervals between men and the same distance apart. It was magnificently done."

THE DESPISED ENGLISH  
A worthy tribute from a generous and stout-hearted foe, who had crossed the Rhine a few weeks earlier with misconceptions which, however, he was quick to correct. He tells us of the first reports that the English were in front of them. "We knew what they looked like from the comic papers; short, scarlet tunics with small caps set at an angle on their heads, bearskins with chin-straps under the lip instead of under the chin. There was much joking about this, and also about Bismarck's remark of sending the police to arrest the English Army." But after the first real clash at Mons: "What a day, Bloem! perfectly ghastly! 'And the men?' 'The battalion is all to pieces—my splendid battalion. . . . If the English have the slightest suspicion of the condition we are in they will counter-attack to



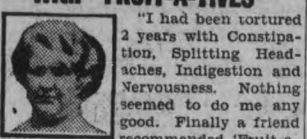






## Constipation Had Crippled Me Badly Torture All Gone

Indigestion and Fierce Headaches Also Ended With "FRUIT-A-TIVES"



"I had been tortured 2 years with Constipation, Nervousness and Headaches, indigestion and Fierce Headaches. Nothing seemed to do me any good. Finally a friend recommended 'Fruit-a-tives.' I took several boxes and now am entirely free from Constipation, Nervousness and Headaches. 'Fruit-a-tives'—Laura Campbell, Bobcaygeon, Ont."

Hundreds of thousands of people praise "Fruit-a-tives" as quickest, surest relief from constipation, backache, kidney trouble, bilious headaches, indigestion, dizzy spells, nervousness. Why? This famous Canadian doctor's discovery combines 6 of the finest herbal tonics with a special secret extract of apples, oranges, prunes and figs—Nature's own remedies to make and keep you well. No habit-forming drugs. Get "Fruit-a-tives" from druggist to-day. New health, vigor quick. Results guaranteed, or money promptly refunded. (Adv.)

## Party to Explore South Venezuela

St. Thomas, Ont., March 18.—A former St. Thomas man is now preparing to head an expedition into the "lost world" of southern Venezuela. The expedition is being arranged jointly by the American Geographical Society, the American Museum of Natural History and the New York Botanical Society, and G. H. H. Tate, assistant curator of mammals in the American Museum of Natural History, a son of George Tate, for many years district freight agent for the Michigan Central Railway at St. Thomas, is its leader.

The expedition is to be made during the coming summer by airplane. A number of the officers of the Byrd Antarctic expedition are on its staff.

Gorgeous Dessert

If you want a dessert de luxe, an exotic, exciting one, get canned guavas, put them through a sieve, chill thoroughly and serve the mixture in black or clear crystal dishes, with heavy, unwhipped cream.

## MUCH TALENT DISPLAYED AT IRISH CONCERT

Old-fashioned Programme of Irish Numbers Pleases Capacity Audience at Royal

Building Fund of St. Louis College Will Benefit Largely By Outstanding Success

A real St. Patrick's Day concert, such as Victoria has not seen for some years, almost filled to capacity the Royal Victoria Theatre yesterday evening, the large audience enjoying the excellent programme of solos, dances and choral work, all the numbers being known and loved by Irish people the world over. The concert helped in a considerable way the building fund of the new St. Louis College.

In the audience were the Mayor and Mrs. Anson and Bishop Gerald Murray. Some of Victoria's best talent had been assembled by the committee for the concert. Miss Dorothy Hartree, L.A.B., musical festival gold medalist, was heard in two numbers, "Kathleen Mavourneen" and "Come to the Fair," both sung with gracefulness and charm. No less delightful was Mrs. Gwendolyn Goodman's favorite, "The Last Rose of Summer," with "Killarney" as an encore. A group of three songs, "Polly Willis," "I Know Where I'm Going" and "Kitty, My Love, Will You Marry Me Now?" were sung by Comtesse Jean de Suzannet, her beautifully trained and pleasing voice making of these simple Irish airs true concert numbers. Miss Eileen Dumbleton accompanied Comtesse Suzannet and Mrs. Goodman. Miss Hartree being accompanied by Mrs. C. C. A. Wain.

**CHORUS WORK**  
The Boys' Choir of St. Louis College, winners of the shield for their class in the musical festival for two consecutive years, under the baton of Brother Keough, were heard in a Gaelic song, "Fairy Boy," in an old favorite, "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," and in a new number, "The Tide." The pupils of the school were also seen in a three-hand reel and in an Irish hornpipe. This last dance was performed in the picturesque and colorful costumes of old Erin of a century or more ago.

"Father O'Flynn," that rollicking old song of the Irish priest, was sung as one of the opening numbers, by Percy Edmonds, and who sang as an encore "Mavourneen." Llewellyn Jones was heard in "The Rose of Tralee," this number proving so popular that he was recalled to sing "Mother Macree," MacMurrough's lovely song, "Macushla," displayed Thomas Kelly's fine tenor to good advantage and for an encore Mr. Kelway gave "Danny Boy."

Dancing was a popular item on the programme. Four pretty colleens, in suitable costumes, gave a spirited tap dance. They were the Misses Doris Scott, Maureen Grute, Helen Peden and Peggy MacDougall, all pupils of Miss Violet Fowkes. Pupils of this teacher were also seen in a rose garden ballet. Appearing in this number were Miss Eugenie Doherty, Peggy MacDougall, Doris Scott, Berna Wardlaw, Catherine Craig and Adeline Grant. As always, little Miriam Schwabe of the Russian Ballet School of Dancing literally took the house by storm by her spirited rendition of two lively Irish tap dances done in costumes especially made for the occasion. She was accompanied by Ron Smith.

Other items on the programme were Irish melodies rendered by a three-piece orchestra composed of Mrs. Wain, Mrs. E. Spencer, violin, and E. Spencer, cello. Frank J. Clarke's poem, "St. Patrick's Day," was read at the opening of the programme by his grandson, Harold Ebbas Canavan.

**LIVING STATUES**  
Mrs. Charles E. Wilson's artistic talent was displayed in living statues. The first was "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning," and showed an old Irishman and wife entertaining two small children in their thatched country cottage. Posing in this picture were Titus L. Swan, Mrs. D. B. McConnon and two lovely children, Joy Groves and Pamela Butcher. Hugh Allen was seen standing against a staggles window representing the figure of St. Patrick, and Mrs. Lloyd Morgan represented "Erin" sitting on a throne. Mrs. Wilson described and made most of the costumes.

Following the programme, Bishop Murray spoke a few words and thanked the audience for the attendance and the artists for the excellent programme, which had been rendered gratuitously. Responsible for the business arrangements were George Brady, Frank L. Doherty, Frank J. Sehl and Percy J. Watson.

## Chinese Synod To Ordain Women As Church Elders

Toronto, March 18.—The ordination of women as elders has been authorized by the synod of North Hanan, in the Church of Christ in China, according to information received from Canadian missionaries in Hanan Province.

## YOUR BABY AND MINE

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

### SYMPTOMS OF UNDERFEEDING SELDOM RECOGNIZED

Some of the symptoms of underfeeding are often overlooked as symptoms and treated for themselves alone. Thus a green stool and persistent constipation are both present when the child is underfed, but no great improvement in baby's condition can result as long as the mother merely treats the green stools with laxatives and the constipation with mechanical methods of inducing movements. What the child needs is food.

**AN UNDERNOURISHED BABY**  
Here is a baby showing all the symptoms of undernourishment, for which nothing is being done. "I am a steady reader of your column and would like to have you tell me what you think of my baby," says Mrs. A. K. S. "She will be four months old to-morrow and weighs eleven and one-half pounds at birth. Ever since she has been three weeks old her stool has been green most of the time, especially if her bowels move at night. I have to give her an enema or suppository every day to move her bowels. Now at times she gets in terrible pain and at one time she ran a temperature. Her stool then contained lots of mucus and was green. I gave her castor oil and she went to sleep. This has happened twice.

"She gets one-half teaspoon of cod liver oil twice a day and one tablespoon of orange juice mixed with one and one-half ounces of water. She sleeps very little during the day but sleeps well at night."

Here are symptoms of undernourishment. First the low rate of gain. The average baby gains from five to six ounces weekly, or an average of one and one-half pounds a month. At

## COAST MISSION WORK DESCRIBED

Rev. John Antle Tells of Ms. Columbia; Lecture Again To-night

A large crowd was in attendance at the Memorial Hall yesterday evening to hear Rev. J. Antle give his lecture on the work being done by the Columbia Coast Mission. This was profusely illustrated with a very fine set of colored lantern slides, as well as two reels of film which graphically portray the great work which the crew of the Columbia are doing. The lecture is to be given again this evening at the Memorial Hall, when those who were unable to attend last evening will have this opportunity of hearing Mr. Antle. Unfortunately for the citizens of Victoria, the Ms. Columbia is leaving port to-morrow morning early. Many members of the Anglican Young People's Association, who have sponsored her visit here, have found among the crew of this little craft many friends, and mingled feelings of regret and hopes for the means to be provided for this little band of ardent workers, to carry on, are felt by many here. The good wishes of the citizens of Victoria are with Rev. J. Antle, Capt. Ed. Godfrey, Engineer Cecil Fitzgerald, Dr. B. F. Grey, Nurse Newbold and Nurse Stuthers and "Tony," the cook, who form the crew of the Columbia in the work they are doing.

To-night, after Mr. Antle's lecture, the members of the A.Y.P.A. will meet in the guild room of the Memorial Hall, where all the branches of Greater Victoria will receive a certificate of membership in the Columbia Coast Mission Medical Association in recognition of the splendid support they have given the C.C.M. at this time. S. C. Hawkins, president of the Local Council A.Y.P.A., asks that all members turn out to this affair.

This afternoon the Sir Matthew Ballie Begbie Chapter, L.O.D.E., served tea aboard from 3 till 6 p.m.

## YOUR CHILDREN

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

I have a "health book." I always said I would not possess one because it would be sure to tell me to do all the things I hated and to do none of the things I loved. But a kind friend wished one on me and summoning up my courage I "peeked" at it. Sure enough! I must be regular in my habits. I must walk an awful lot. I must eat this if I want to live, but by all means if I do so much as taste that I'll be appalled at the amount of ghastly debris that will accumulate in my blood stream.

As I am a notoriously irregular person in my habits, can't walk much with all I have to do, and most decidedly don't intend to give up my pet foods, most of the print went into one ear and passing below my brain emerged from the other without leaving so much as a comma or a period behind it.

**A FACT THAT REMAINED**  
But yes, as the French say, it did too. A period. For tucked away in the phrases it slyly said something like this about the gastric juice. It seems that this digestive fluid in the stomach doesn't turn on the tap when food is dropped in. I used to think it did. In fact on my physiology paper in my examinations for high school, I remember that I got ninety instead of 100 because I missed this one! "To what is the amount of gastric juice proportional?"

It was a catch question and not stated in the text book we used. I stated in a cramped hand that it was proportional to the amount taken into the stomach. And got an "x" on it. It bothered me for years that I should be marked wrong, for I was sure I was right. I've spent my life asking questions about gastric juice. Well, the health book says this: "The amount of gastric juice produced corresponds largely to the amount of saliva that flows into the mouth."

It expands and says much more, but the matter boiled down to this: If we eat things we like the stomach pumps a more generous supply of gastric juice out of its little cells to digest the same food. Now it does not mean that we can

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## WOMAN FLIER'S NEW RECORD

Ruth Nicholls Establishes New Altitude Mark and Equals Speed Record

Washington, March 18.—Spurred by official word that she had broken the women's altitude record, Miss Ruth Nicholls, society aviatrix, yesterday added a 200-mile-an-hour record, equaling flight between New York and Washington to her roster of accomplishments.

Late yesterday she took off on a return flight to New York after making the trip between Jersey City airport and the Anacosta naval air station, here in one hour and five minutes. This time varied only a few seconds from the unofficial record held by Capt. Frank Hawks. It will be checked by the war department.

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## AUNT HET

BY ROBERT QUILLEN



"I try to set right in public, but when a waiter pushes a chair under me I just can't set down without lookin' back to make sure I'll hit it."

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## Mrs. S. F. Tolmie To Open Daffodil Tea To-morrow

Mrs. S. F. Tolmie will open the annual daffodil sale of the King's Daughters to be held to-morrow afternoon from 3 till 6 o'clock in the rooms, Bibben-Bone Building. There will be cut flowers, seeds, candy and home-made cooking for sale, while tea will be served and a musical programme provided. As this is practically the only occasion during the year on which the King's Daughters appeal to the public for support in their benevolent work, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

## ARRIVAL OF EARL OF BESSBOROUGH TO BE BROADCAST

Montreal, March 18.—The Canadian National railways radio system has been officially authorized to broadcast over a coast-to-coast network, the arrival of the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General designate, and his welcome to Canada by the Prime Minister. The new Governor-General and his family are scheduled to reach Halifax on the morning of April 4.

The addresses of welcome and Lord Bessborough's first speech in the dominion will be carried on a chain that will stretch as far west as Vancouver, E. A. Weir, director of radio for the Canadian National system, announced to-day.

## GIRLS AS PRINTERS' "DEVILS"



First men lost their monopoly on the right to vote, then the barber shop became unsafe for old-fashioned stories, and now man's last stronghold is threatened. Women have invaded the government printing office in Washington, D.C. for the first time. Here you see Blanche Holbert and Beulah A. Fairall, the first two girls accepted as apprentices—or "printers' devils."



# Cambridge and Oxford Crews Set For Historic Race Saturday

## THE Light Blues Are Favorites to Win MIRROR Four-mile Grind

English Football Team to Tour Canada Will Be Selected Soon

Task Difficult Owing to Number of Players Wanting to Stay Home

Phil Bach and Harry Huband Have Been Appointed Honorary Managers

Stormy Session of N.H.L. Governors Expected in N.Y. To-day

SELECTION of the English International Football Team to tour Canada this summer is expected within a few days. While many players are anxious to make the trip, the association is having quite a task selecting an eleven, as they have found that many of the outstanding stars would rather spend the summer vacation fishing and playing a little cricket. Many of the club managers are also adverse to their players making application for the trip, as a tour of this sort entails eighteen months of football without a break. The touring English team will play one match in Victoria.

Phil Bach and Harry Huband have been appointed honorary managers of the tour. This pair represent the extreme opposite in football. Bach is the only one of two experienced professional players who have ever sat on the Football Association Council, of which he has been a member for five years.

Bach has also been a director of the Middlebrough Club for twenty years, being chairman for the club for the last seventeen years, and is also president of the North-Eastern League, being elected to that position twelve years ago. He has also been a member of representing England on the field of play.

Huband, on the other hand, is a champion of amateurism. No one knows where his activities begin or cease. He was elected to the London Football Association in 1893. He has also been a member of the Football Association Council since 1907, and is a member of all important committees. In 1905 he founded the Ishtman League, probably the most influential federation of amateur clubs in Great Britain. He has been their principal officer ever since.

This is a league which has neither salaries nor paid players, has no cup for any team and no medal for any player or official. This league of amateurism, pure and undefiled, prevents its players jumping from club to club like grasshoppers. He must have the consent of the league before he can jump, and that is very hard to obtain.

From this it can be easily seen what a gulf there is between Bach and Huband, yet both love the game and are willing to be aided, and in a good sport on a tour of Canada. This pair is being assisted by Arthur Kingscott and Wreghitt Brown, both of whom have toured Canada before, to select the strongest team possible.

What promises to be a torrid session of the board of the National Hockey League is being held in New York to-day. At the conclusion of the special gathering it is expected that several changes will be made in the league. The main bone of contention arises out of a recent game in Boston between the Bruins and Toronto Maple Leafs. The dispute will be aired, and in view of the hostility between the clubs a real verbal battle is anticipated.

President Charles Adams of the Bruins is hollering his head off on the penalty ruling that robbed Boston of a victory in their game with the Leafs. It appears that Boston scored a goal from a face-off in front of the Toronto net, but the referee ruled that Clancy of Toronto was offside, and the face-off was ordered over again and Boston didn't score, and the game ended in a tie. Adams wants the rule modified so as to allow the offended team the option of refusing a penalty.

Another question to be aired will be the fight between Art Ross, manager of Boston, and Conn Smythe, pilot of the Leafs. Smythe has declared he will seek retribution for the whole-hearted sock on the chin Ross landed in the corridor to their post-game altercation in the dressing-room.

**DID YOU KNOW THAT—**  
Babe and Ruth, two Missouri mules, do all the plowing on Wiley Moore's farm at Hollis, Oklahoma. . . Cy bought 'em with \$300 he won from the Babe in 1928. . . Ruth put up \$300 against Cy's \$15 that Cy wouldn't get three hits all season. . . "Hockey is aerial warfare transferred to ice and with machine-gun bullets omitted," says Connie Smythe, manager of the Toronto Maple Leafs. . . For instance, a three-plane patrol meeting a numerically superior enemy squadron and a three-man forward line trying to pierce a five-man hockey defense. . . The Richthofen of the ice is Howie Morenz, star centre of Les Canadiens. . . Morenz lays back temporarily and then lets loose blinding speed with a brilliant swoop into the fighting. . . So did the Red Knight. . . Bill Clark, the Brooklyn flinger, lost his money in a strong box. . . Bill was thrown for a loss of \$4,000 last year in three bank crashes.

### Softball Meeting

The Victoria and District Softball Association will hold its annual meeting at the Y.M.C.A. this evening at 8 o'clock. All teams in the league last year and any new groups wishing to enter are requested to have delegates at the meeting.

Cambridge Have Been Much More Impressive in Work-out for Annual Struggle on Thames; Cambridge With Forty-one Victories Have Won Last Seven Races; Oxford Boasts Forty Victories; Oxford Will Have Heavier Crew Owing to Cambridge's Cox Weighing Only Ninety-seven Pounds, Hundreds of Thousands Will View Race.

London, March 18 (C.P.).—At 2.20 o'clock on Saturday the gun will bark and the Cambridge and Oxford boat crews will burst away on the historic four-and-a-quarter-mile stretch on the Thames between Putney and Mortlake, in a renewal of the century old Battle of the Blues.

Hundreds of thousands along the banks of the Thames, on the bridges that cross it, and the river-craft following the racing shells, will see the culmination of months of strict training and staid old London will be a gay city that evening.

### Cambridge Crews Have an Unbroken List of Victories

Year	Winner	Time	Distance
1900	Cambridge	18.45	20 lengths
1901	Oxford	22.31	2-5 lengths
1902	Cambridge	19.09	5 lengths
1903	Cambridge	19.33	6 lengths
1904	Cambridge	19.37	4 1/2 lengths
1905	Oxford	20.35	3 lengths
1906	Cambridge	19.25	3 1/2 lengths
1907	Cambridge	20.26	4 1/2 lengths
1908	Cambridge	19.20	2 1/2 lengths
1909	Oxford	19.24	3 1/2 lengths
1910	Oxford	20.14	3 1/2 lengths
1911	Oxford	18.29	2 1/2 lengths
1912	Oxford	22.05	6 lengths
1913	Cambridge	20.53	3 1/2 lengths
1914	Cambridge	21.23	4 1/2 lengths
1915	Cambridge	21.11	4 lengths
1916	Cambridge	19.45	1 length
1917	Cambridge	19.27	4 1/2 lengths
1918	Oxford	20.54	3 1/2 lengths
1919	Cambridge	19.41	4 1/2 lengths
1920	Cambridge	21.50	Oxford sank
1921	Cambridge	21.50	5 lengths
1922	Cambridge	20.14	3 lengths
1923	Cambridge	20.25	10 lengths
1924	Cambridge	19.24	2 lengths
1925	Cambridge	19.09	2 lengths

### TECUMSEHS ARE OUT OF PLAY-OFFS

London Team Eliminated From Running in International Hockey League

Drop Important Game to Pittsburgh 1 to 0; Tulsa Cinches American Title

Toronto, March 18.—Practical elimination of London Tecumsehs from the International Hockey League championships series was the feature development in the league yesterday evening. Playing at home, the Tecumsehs dropped a valuable game to their fourth-place rivals, Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets, by a 1 to 0 count. The victory entrenched the smoke city squad in the fourth berth, three points in the van of the Londoners. The latter still have two more games to be played, while the Yellow Jackets have one, and therefore have a mathematical chance of regaining the final dividend-paying position.

**LEADERS WIN EASILY**  
In the other scheduled fixture the league-leading Buffalo Bisons shelved Windsor Bulldogs 5 to 0 at Port Erie. Both teams have already clinched playoff berths and the result meant little to either side.

Chicago, March 18.—Out of a melee of luster scoring, Tulsa Oilers emerged to-day as definite leaders of the American Hockey League. They clinched top place by walling Minneapolis Millers 7 to 1, and made their lead over Kansas City Plasmors, 1930 champs, an even half-dozen points. A 2 to 1 win over Chicago Shamrocks placed Duluth Hornets just two points behind Kansas City and virtually clinched Shamrocks from the playoff position race. Buffalo Majors, who trimmed St. Louis Flyers 7 to 4, edged into fourth place with Shamrocks and are favored for the place because they have two extra games to play.

### Perkins Burns Up Florida Course To Win Medal Honors

St. Augustine, Fla., March 18.—T. Philip Perkins, former British amateur champion, burned up the St. Augustine country club course here yesterday to win the qualifying medal of the winter amateur championship of Florida with a card of 67. His 67 was equal to the course record held jointly by Johnny Farrell and Tommy Armour.

What a different scene it will be from that first boat race of 1829. Beside the modern racing shell, the boats used in that far-gone day look like lifeboats. The old pictures show bearded athletes and top-hatted coxswains. But the spirit of the event remains unchanged. And while the race has grown to immense popularity, it was popular from the start. No fewer than 20,000 persons thronged the lovely Henley reaches on the first occasion, June 10, 1829.

The origin of the race is generally credited to Charles Wordsworth, of Christ Church, Oxford, nephew of the poet and an enthusiastic rowing man who, in the course of frequent visits to his father, master of Trinity College, Cambridge, was naturally brought into close contact with Cambridge rowing men. The year 1849 is regarded as the most eventful in all the hundred years' history of the race. Two contests took place in it. In the first, all the Cambridge crew were Trinity men, and they won easily. Eight months later Oxford won on a "trot," though Cambridge paced the winning boat a quarter of a length in front of their rivals.

**A DEAD HEAT**  
Lord Desborough—he was then W. H. Grenfell—rowing at No. 4 for Oxford was in the eventful race of 1877 when the only dead-heat took place. Naturally, the decision of John Phelps, the judge, did not go unchallenged, but criticism as has always been the case where this fine sporting event is concerned, was in no sense acrimonious. The Battles of the Blues were not waged annually until 1856. The total number of contests is eighty-two. Cambridge has won forty-one; Oxford forty. The race in 1877 was a dead heat. Cambridge, the Light Blues, have taken the last seven races, and, appropriately enough, evened the score on the centenary occasion in 1929.

The tide of battle definitely turned to Cambridge after the war and in recent years they have produced some of the finest crews that have figured on the historic roll. Oxford have had the longer consecutive streaks—winning nine victories starting in 1881, and nine more starting in 1894. The Dark Blues took the five races from 1910 to 1913. Cambridge won the 1914 race and since they resumed in 1920, the Light Blues have won ten out of eleven. Taking the record of recent years into consideration Cambridge justify their position as favorites. But the Light Blues have also been considerably more impressive in their 1931 trials than Oxford.

In their full-course trials about two weeks before the race, the Light Blues showed considerably better form than Oxford. Oxford, on a weak tide, with smooth water and a following wind, covered the distance in nineteen minutes and thirty-three seconds. Their style seemed to show room for improvement. The day afterwards Cambridge went out in a fairly strong head wind and rough water, and in a time of nineteen minutes forty-six seconds.

Oxford have the slightly heavier crew this year, and on the records the heavier crews stand a two-to-one chance. The difference will probably have very little effect, however, under the circumstances. Cambridge, in J. M. Ranking, have the lightest coxswain in the history of the race. He weighs ninety-seven pounds and is five feet high, but has a man-size voice.

The rival crews will probably be as follows:

OXFORD (WON 46)	
Row—D. E. Tians	(Eton and University) ..... 171 lbs.
No. 2—R. A. J. Pook	(Winchester and Brasenose) ..... 172 lbs.
No. 3—R. A. J. Pook	(Winchester and Brasenose) ..... 172 lbs.
No. 4—C. M. Johnston	(Winchester and Brasenose) ..... 178 lbs.
No. 5—J. E. Platt-Mills	(Nelson College, N. Z. and Bal. Col.) ..... 185 lbs.
No. 6—L. Clive	(Eton and Christ Church) ..... 184 lbs.
No. 7—W. D. Drake-Crum	(Eton and Christ Church) ..... 171 lbs.
Stroke—E. G. W. Holdsworth	(Shrewsbury and Brasenose) ..... 159 lbs.
Cox—R. R. Kinnaird	(Hornsea Bay and Worcester) ..... 116 lbs.
CAMBRIDGE (WON 41)	
Row—C. M. Fletcher	(Eton and Trinity) ..... 171 lbs.
No. 2—R. A. J. Pook	(Eton and Trinity) ..... 171 lbs.
No. 3—R. A. J. Pook	(Eton and Trinity) ..... 171 lbs.
No. 4—H. R. N. Rickitt	(Bedford and Lady Margaret) ..... 163 lbs.
No. 5—J. E. Platt-Mills	(Nelson College, N. Z. and Bal. Col.) ..... 174 lbs.
No. 6—P. N. Carmichael	(Middle and Jesus) ..... 184 lbs.
No. 7—C. M. Fletcher	(Eton and Queens) ..... 183 lbs.
Stroke—M. Rankin	(Merton College and Clare) ..... 172 lbs.
Cox—J. M. Ranking	(Eton and Trinity) ..... 150 lbs.
Cox—J. M. Ranking	(Cheltenham and Pembroke) ..... 97 lbs.

### Don George Wins Over Dr. Sarpolis In Straight Falls

San Francisco, March 18.—Ed Don George, champion of the world in heavyweight wrestling, defeated Dr. Karl Sarpolis, Cleveland, in two straight falls in a fast match here yesterday evening.

## Miracles of Sport



## Terrific Batting Strength Will Be Robins' Big Threat

Wilbert Robinson Has Gathered Together Real Bunch of Fence Busters for National League Pennant Chase of Brooklyn Club This Season; O'Doul, Herman and Frederick Will Compose Slugging Outfield; Infield Also Boasts Strong Stick Handlers; Pitching Staff Better Than Ordinary.

Clearwater, Fla., March 18.—Picture a portly, kindly-looking gentleman with a twinkle in his eye, a chew of tobacco in his jaw, instilling ferocity into a band of baseball hijackers and you have an idea what Uncle Wilbert Robinson is doing with his Brooklyn boys.

Uncle Robbie has developed the killer instinct. Lively ball or no lively ball, and Robbie says you can't tell the difference, he has put together a beefy collection of sluggers calculated to strike fear into the opposition.

The outfield, composed of Lefty O'Doul, Babe Herman and Johnny Frederick, averaged 370 at bat last year and should do as well or better this year. Frederick and Herman are still on the upgrade as ball players. O'Doul, obtained from the Phillies during the winter with Fresno Thompson, second baseman, has been lapping the stitches of the new ball in camp.

The regular infield, consisting of Captain Glenn Wright at short, Wally Gilbert on third, Thompson at second and Del Bissonnette on first, also averages over 300 at the plate. Wright and Bissonnette are two of the most reliable cleanup men in the league.

**BOBBY JONES DECLARES HE LIKES "GAME"**  
World's Most Famous Golfer Is Enjoying Making Motion Pictures

Celebrates Twenty-ninth Birthday Before Camera; Two Months More Work

Pasadena, Cal., March 18.—Bobby Jones celebrated his birthday yesterday by working eight hours in the course of which he made more chip shots than in any other day in his twenty-nine years. The champion golfer spent most of the day on and around the fifteenth green of the Flint Ridge Country Club where he is making the second of a series of motion pictures. At the luncheon intermission the star was surprised when a big birthday cake was brought to his table. As the second picture was started, there were indications that Jones, doubling in brass as an actor, would be in California for at least two months longer. Mrs. Jones and the infant Jones are expected to join him before the end of the month.

**LIKES PICTURE GAME**  
"I like it," said Bobby, when he was asked for his reaction to the motion picture "game." "There's a lot of waiting around and that's a bit tiresome, of course, but I grew accustomed to the waiting in the clubhouse back home."

## By Robert Edgren

## Rangers, Americans Chicago and Boston Win Wind-up Games

No Excitement Seen as N.H.L. Teams Close Schedule, Prior to Opening of Stanley Cup Play-offs Next Week; Rangers Subdue Ottawa 3 to 1, Americans Beat Maroons 2 to 1, Hawks Triumph Over Philadelphia 4 to 0, and Boston Take Detroit Into Camp 4 to 2.

Toronto, March 18.—The three play-off teams in the United States group and Montreal Maroons, third place holders in the Canadian section, enjoyed brisk workouts in yesterday evening's National Hockey League activities. The three American Stanley Cup aspirants were successful but the Maroons took the short end of a 2 to 1 score handed them by New York Americans.

New York Rangers and Ottawa Senators wound up Manhattan's current schedule in a somewhat desultory contest which went to the Rangers 3 to 1. The Gothamites finished third in their group and will therefore meet Maroons in the first round of the play-offs. The Montrealers qualified by chalking up twenty victories compared to eighteen for the Americans. The latter teams tied the Munroes in the point column with forty-six. However, the Canadian team has another game to play yet and may break the deadlock, even though it is immaterial.

**HAWKS WIN EASILY**  
Chicago Black Hawks who won second place in the American division and will meet Toronto Maple Leafs in the first round, handed the tail-end Philadelphia Quakers a 4 to 0 pasting in the Quaker City.

Boston Bruins, champions of the United States section and opponents of Montreal Canadiens for the league championship, easily beat Detroit Falcons in the Hub, 4 to 2.

Boston, Mass. March 18.—Assured of their play-off berth, Boston Bruins romped through sixty minutes of action with the Detroit Falcons before the 16,000 spectators here yesterday evening and emerged with a 4 to 2 victory. The American Division leaders were outplayed most of the game, but Wendell Clapper and Gailor Dolson in the final session and as many goals resulted.

**Line-up:**  
Boston—Thompson, Owen, Shore, Welland, Gailor, Clapper, Subs. Barry, Beattie, Oliver, Hitchman, Darragh, Chapman, Galbraith, Lyons.  
Detroit—Dolson, Meloney, Noble, Coughlin, 3, Detroit, Filmore (Goalie), Lewis, Aurie, Cooper, Evans, Newman, Referee—Cleghorn and Daigneault.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—1, Boston, Barry, 8:08. Penalties—McInenly, Gailor.  
Second period—2, Detroit, Aurie (Filmore), 8:30. Penalties—Dolson, Filmore, 7:19. Penalties, Darragh, McInenly.  
Third period—4, Boston, Welland (Shore and Owen), 6:06; 5, Boston, Clapper, 9:32; 6, Boston, Clapper, 9:02. Penalties, Lewis.

Montreal, March 18.—Star-spangled New York Americans came out of their last scheduled game of the National Hockey League season with a 2 to 1 win here yesterday evening over the Montreal Maroons, who edged them out of a play-off berth in the Canadian section.

The game was played to a small house, with no play-off position at stake. The Maroons are safely in third place in the Canadian section standing.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—1, Americans, Hughes (Carson and Masecar), 8:35; 2, Americans, Roche (Schuch), 8:35. Penalties, Trotter, Dutkowski.  
Second period—3, Americans, Emms, 13:40. Penalties, Dutton, Byrdson.  
Third period—No score. Penalties, Stewart, Siebert.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 18.—Philadelphia Quakers ended the home campaign by dropping a National League hockey match to the Chicago Black Hawks, 4 to 0 yesterday evening.

Quakers were outclassed from start to finish, but it was Chuck Gardiner's clever goal keeping that enabled him to score another shutout. Wentworth scored in the first session, Ripley in the second, and in the closing round, Cook and Gotschell counted.

**Line-up:**  
Chicago—Gardiner, Graham, Boston, Somers, Ingram, Romnes, Subs. Gotschell, Couture, Ripley, Adams, Desjardins, Jenkins, Cook, Abel, Wentworth.  
Quakers—Cude, Shields, Coulson, Milks, Barton, Jarvis, Subs. Crouse, Lowery, Kilrea, Howe, MacKinnon. Officials—Wagner and Mallinson.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—1, Chicago, Wentworth (Cook), 12:48. Penalties, Coulson.  
Second period—2, Chicago, Ripley (Gotschell), 7:01. Penalty, Coulson.  
Third period—3, Chicago, Cook, 9:28; 4, Chicago, Gotschell, 7:25. Penalty, Adams.  
New York, March 18.—New York Rangers wound up the pre-play-off National Hockey League season for themselves and for New York yesterday evening by trouncing Ottawa Senators, 5 to 1. With nothing of importance depending on the game the smallest crowd of the season, only about 2,000 dried-in-the-wool fans, turned out for the closing ceremonies.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—1, Rangers, F. Cook (Boucher), 10:50; 2, Rangers, Dillon (Maracle), 7:09. Penalty, Smith.  
Second period—No score. Penalties, none.  
Third period—3, Rangers, Keeling (Jerwa), 8:30; 4, Ottawa, Toubey, 7:02. Penalties, Regan, Grosvenor, Starr.

## ARTHUR AND ANDERSON IN FINISH MATCH

Crack Middleweight Wrestlers Meet Saturday in Return Bout; No Time Limit Robin Reed, Twice Olympic Champion, Will Make His Initial Appearance

Two exceptionally fine bouts have been arranged for Saturday night's wrestling card at the Tillamook gymnasium. In the main event Ernie Arthur, holder of the Canadian middleweight championship, and Des Anderson, Seattle star, have been rematched in a bout that will be carried to a finish. No number of rounds have been set the pair intending to wrestle until a winner has been decided. Each round will be over the ten-minute rule.

In the five-eight-minute round semi-windup Robin Reed of Portland, twice Olympic middleweight champion, will be matched with Pete Astman, Reed who has established an enviable reputation, is declared to be one of the finest wrestlers ever produced in the United States and local fans will appreciate his appearance in a local ring. Astman, his opponent, is somewhat of a "dark horse," very little being known of his ability or where he comes from.

**GREAT MATCH EXPECTED**  
The Arthur-Anderson bout should be a thriller. This pair wrestled to a draw three weeks ago in about the finest bout ever seen in a local ring. At the end of the eighth round the final count stood one fall apiece.

One other preliminary will round out Saturday's card.

Spokane, Wash., March 18.—Charles Hansen, Seattle heavyweight, and Stanley Pinto, Pavena, Neb., wrestled eight rounds to a draw here yesterday evening. Each took a fall.

Pinto took the first fall, pinning Hansen's shoulders to the mat in the sixth with a headlock. Hansen retaliated soundly in the seventh by knocking Pinto's wind out with a body slam.

In the semi-windup, Billy Root, Seattle heavyweight, took two out of three falls from "Cowboy" Ray of Texas. Ray took the first fall, his flying scissors in the second round. Root took the second in the third with a body slam and the winning fall in the fourth with an airplane spin.

Indianapolis, March 18.—Jim London, claimant of the world heavyweight wrestling championship, won from Hans Bauer, German "strong man," in two straight falls here yesterday evening. Both falls were airplane spins, the first in seventeen minutes and the second in two minutes.

Los Angeles, March 18.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former world heavyweight wrestling champion, and Everett Marshall, Latvia, Colo., grappler, meet in an exhibition bout here to-night. Lewis is challenging Marshall's right to meet Ed. Don George, title claimant, Billy Sandow will second Lewis.

"Jumping" Joe Savoldi, former Notre Dame football star, makes his local debut against Ivan Zilkoff, 210 pounder of Salt Lake City, in another featured match.

Baltimore, March 18.—Dick Davicourt, California heavyweight wrestler, yesterday evening thronged Ganati Gardin in thirty-nine minutes here with a croch and body slam. The attendance was 1,600.

**BILLIARDS**  
Veterans of France squads scored easy victories in both "A" and "B" division encounters in the Interservice Billiard League yesterday evening, outlasting the Pro Patriots in the former section by a score of 373 to 394, and downing the Army and Navy 534 to 350 in the "B" class.

Lineup of the Army and Navy, and Force of the Fleet, were the only ones to face matches from either of the Veterans' squads.

Scores follow:  
Veterans of France "A" Squad ..... 373  
Pro Patriots "A" Squad ..... 394  
Veterans of France "B" Squad ..... 534  
Army and Navy "B" Squad ..... 350  
Total ..... 390 Total ..... 354



# Trail and Edmonton Play to Deadlock In Hockey Series

## B.C. Champs Lead Twice But Prairie Team Shows Fight

Smoke-eaters Get Away to Two-goal Lead in First Period and One Goal Advantage in Final Canto Only to Have Superiors Come From Behind; Second Game of Total-goal Series Will Be Played Tomorrow Night; Regina Vics Beaten by North Battleford Intermediates in Great Upset.

Trail, B.C., March 18.—A fighting hockey team, Superiors from Edmonton, champions of Alberta, yesterday evening battled their way through sixty minutes of fast skating to a three-goal draw with Trail Smoke-eaters, five-time British Columbia title-holders, in the first contest of a two-game interprovincial Allan Cup elimination series. With deficits staring them in the face on two different occasions, the Superiors fought their way back into contention both times.

### Hockey Schedule For This Evening

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
Windsor at Syracuse.  
CANADIAN-AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Boston at Providence.  
ONTARIO LEAGUE PLAYOFFS  
Stratford at Guelph.  
Oshawa at Kitchener.  
ALLAN CUP PLAYOFFS  
St. Francois Xavier at McGill University.  
MEMORIAL CUP PLAYOFFS  
Niagara Falls at Ottawa Primroses.  
Regina Pats at Winnipeg Elmwoods.

### CRUSADERS TO MEET DUNCAN

Badminton Teams Play Tonight in Finals of Lower Island Knockout

By defeating the J.B.A.A. Badminton Club players, 11 to 7, on the Langford Club courts, Monday evening, the Victoria Crusaders earned the right to oppose Duncan in the finals of the Lower Island knockout badminton championship. The finals will be played tonight at the Memorial Hall, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

After the Bays had taken the lead by winning two out of the three men's doubles, the Crusaders tied the series by winning all the women's doubles, and then took the majority of the mixed doubles to take the match.

Complete scores with the J.B.A.A. players first named follow:  
**MEN'S DOUBLES**  
Hurtubise and Poyntz lost to G. Phillips and Whitney-Griffiths, 15-18, 10-15.  
Temple and Clarke won from Austin-Leigh and Matson, 10-15, 15-10.  
Peers and Francis won from Dr. Ridewood and Parker, 7-15, 15-12, 17-14.

**WOMEN'S DOUBLES**  
Miss Cheer and Mrs. Thomas lost to Misses L. and M. Benson, 12-15, 0-15.  
Miss Weeks and Miss Poyntz lost to Mrs. Stern and Miss Hamby, 5-15, 18-15, 10-15.  
Miss Wiley and Miss Higgs lost to Mrs. Reymont and Miss Hedley, 5-15, 7-15.

**MIXED DOUBLES**  
Miss Weeks and Huxtable lost to Mrs. Stern and Phillips, 6-15, 8-15.  
Miss Weeks and Huxtable won from Miss M. Benson and Whitney-Griffiths, 15-11, 15-12.

Mrs. Poyntz and Clarke lost to Mrs. Stern and Phillips, 6-15, 8-15.  
Mrs. Poyntz and Clarke lost to Miss M. Benson and Whitney-Griffiths, 15-8, 0-15, 7-15.

Miss Cheer and Temple won from Miss Hedley and Matson, 15-12, 15-12.  
Miss Cheer and Temple lost to Mrs. Benson and Austin-Leigh, 0-15, 7-15.  
Mrs. Thomas and Poyntz lost to Miss Hedley and Matson, 14-17, 15-9, 18-13.

Mrs. Thomas and Poyntz lost to Mrs. Benson and Austin-Leigh, 0-15, 7-15.  
Miss Wiley and Peers won from Miss Hamby and Dr. Ridewood, 15-8, 15-13.  
Miss Wiley and Peers won from Mrs. Reymont and Parker, 15-8, 15-9.  
Miss Higgs and Francis lost to Mrs. Hamby and Dr. Ridewood, 5-15, 6-15.  
Miss Higgs and Francis lost to Mrs. Reymont and Parker, 7-15, 0-15.

### Junior Football

Matches scheduled Saturday afternoon in the Junior Football League, follow:  
Victoria City vs. James Island at upper Beacon Hill.  
Royal Oak vs. Esquimalt at Central Park.  
Oaklands vs. Y.M.C.A. at Spencer's Park.

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## Big Shots of the New York Yankees



Eyes of the baseball fans are on Lou Gehrig, Joe McCarthy and Babe Ruth, left to right above, the big guns of the New York Yankees. The fans have a pretty definite idea of what to expect from Lou and Babe. They're wondering, however, just what McCarthy, as manager of the world's greatest baseball circuit, can accomplish in the pennant dash this year, his first in the American League.

## TENNIS TOURNEY Former Manager Of Jack Johnson Dies Virtually Penniless

Jean Borotra and Francis Shields Advance in United States Indoor Play

Chicago, March 18.—George Little, once the prosperous manager of heavyweight champion, Jack Johnson, died here yesterday virtually penniless and alone. He became ill several days ago. In his prosperous heyday, Little boasted that he owned \$500,000 worth of diamonds. His wife in Chicago's loop was a rendezvous for the sporting fraternity.

**JACK PICKFORD INJURED**  
San Bernardino, Cal., March 18.—Jack Pickford, brother of Mary Pickford, film star, was hit and bruised seriously about the head and body yesterday when an automobile in which he was riding struck a depression in a highway near here and was catapulted thirty feet.

New York, March 18.—Jean Borotra, French favorite, and Francis X. Shields, American top seeded contender, came closer to their anticipated meeting in the final, when they scored easy victories in the third round of the men's national singles indoor championship tournament yesterday.

Borotra defeated Edward W. Burns, of Brooklyn, who had upset previously Donald Cram, seventh seeded player, 6-3, 6-0. Shields defeated Mitchell M. Rosenbaum, New York University, 6-0, 6-0.

In the doubles championship, Borotra and Christian Bousquet, the French pair, after drawing a first round bye, conquered Arthur Cragin and T. J. Legos, 6-2, 9-7, to enter the quarter final.

Play in singles and doubles was resumed to-day.  
**Island Softball Association May Be Organized Soon**  
With the idea of forming a Vancouver Island Softball Association, meetings will be held in Duncan and Nanaimo on Sunday afternoon. Officials of the Westholme League, who are sponsoring the new association, will attend both meetings and give a resume of their plans. All leagues are welcome to send delegates to the meetings. The Ladiesmith League are requested to have delegates in attendance at the Nanaimo meeting, which will commence at 5 o'clock. The Duncan meeting will get under way at 1:30 o'clock.

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## DAVIES BOYS BOTH WINNERS

Local Fighters Take Decisions in Bouts on Portland Card Yesterday Evening

Portland, Ore., March 18.—George Dixon, Portland negro light heavyweight, won a technical knockout victory over Remo Le Mond, Fullerton, Calif., in the seventh round of their ten-round fight here yesterday evening.

Dixon opened a cut over Le Mond's left eye in the fourth round with a vicious right-hand swing and in the seventh the cut was bleeding so badly the referee stopped the bout. Le Mond appeared to be little bothered by the cut, however, and was outpointing Dixon when the fight ended. Dixon weighed 165, Le Mond 157.  
Eddie Thomas, Bellingham, 133, won an easy decision over Hank Voigt, 136, Spokane, in another ten-rounder. Thomas twice had Voigt on the verge of a knockout.

**VICTORIA BOYS WIN**  
Albie Davis, 137, Victoria, B.C., outpointed George Hval, 134, Portland, in six rounds. Albie's brother, Jumbo, 130, won from Roy Oakley, Butte, Mont., in four rounds.

## NEW THREATS IN SINGLES

Leiper and Scroggie, Favorites For Men's Honors, Beaten in Carpet Tourney

New blood came to the fore in the men's singles contests in the Capital City and District Carpet bowling tournament at the Crystal Garden when Leiper and Scroggie, outstanding favorites for the honors, were eliminated by R. Wood and A. McMillan, respectively.

McMillan dispatched Scroggie without ceremony to the tune of 21 to 9. Leiper made a better stand but went down before Wood with the final count reading 21 to 17.

This evening the finals of the Byng Shield series and Women's League will hold the spotlight. In the former Willows Strollers will clash with Willows Oaks, while Willows Roses will face Willows Thistles in the women's play-off.

Last night's results follow:  
**MEN'S DOUBLES**  
Baker and Pugh 14, Currie and Cockrell 23.  
Turner and Pearson 8, Mitchell and Groutage 22.  
Alexander and McMillan 11, Wood and Spencer 22.

**MEN'S SINGLES**  
Scroggie 9, A. McMillan 21.  
Leiper 17, R. Wood 21.  
Breckenridge 21, Davy 17.  
**TO-DAY'S DRAW**  
Finals of Byng Shield.  
Women's League finals.

## Los Angeles Win Over Oakland In Overtime Hockey

Oakland, Cal., March 18.—The Los Angeles Millionaires defeated the Oakland Seals, 3 to 2, in an overtime game in the California Hockey League here yesterday evening. Archie Grey sank the winning Millionaire goal after five minutes and forty-two seconds of the overtime period.

The victory kept the Millionaires in the running for the league championship. The Los Angeles team is now in third place, two games behind the Oakland Checkers.

## Best Position For Guarding Opponent



By SOL METZGER  
The sound principle of defence in any sport is to keep between the attack and the goal being defended. True, a player on defence may overcome the lead of his opponent by great speed. But this idea cannot be depended upon. Basketball is like that.

But this problem in basketball is difficult, because the defensive player not only has to guard against attempted shots, but also passes and all manner of cuts. Neither can he block his man with his body.

Basketball coaches agree that in guarding an opponent one position is best. It is shown in the sketch. This relaxed and bent stance, with arms spread, best aids the defensive man to move in any direction in the least possible time. It also permits him to use his arms in every possible way to break up shots and passes. To-morrow—the hardest job of all on defence.

## BOWLING

OLYMPIC SENIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Colonist Types—Anderson 547, Dunn 156, Pickup 403, H. Buckle Jr. 323, Yeaman 618, Hough 633. Total 2908.  
B.C. Telephone 539, McLennan 655, Young 639, Howell 539, Johnston 387, A. Barnes 649. Total 3088.  
Telephone wins 2.

Huskie—Norris 634, Laughton 718, Moulton 610, Wilkinson 645, Huxtable 687. Total 3194.  
Ramsay Machine—Savage 579, Ackerman 610, Plater 751, Rodway 609, Rute 741. Total 3190.

Ramsay wins 2.  
Peeble Bag—Short 537, Burr 532, low score 400, low score 582, Nelson 594. Total 2040.  
Times—Porter 652, Jenkins 652, Colton 634, Quinn 477, Donaldson 649. Total 3074.  
New England Cafe—Young 328, Welsh 525, Theobald 609, Richardson 493, Martin 503. Total 2453.

United Typewriter—Kenne 624, Fennell 616, Bethell 552, Cann 537, Irvine 694. Total 3028.  
Typewriters win 3.  
Tills—Marshall 646, Croston 522, Hodsons 777, Lee 628, Palk 655. Total 3283.  
Modern Shoe—Defaulted.

Colonist Compo—Benn 568, Fairfull 608, Clarke 613, H. Buckle Jr. 629. Total 2410.  
Colonist Serbes—Defaulted.  
Compo wins 3.

**B.C.E.R. FIFTEEN LEAGUE**  
Cosy Glows—Miss Swaine 627, Miss Torrance 345, Miss Warner 338, Loudon 369, O'Neill 439, Porter 452. Total 2535.  
Radiant Fire—Mrs. L. O'Neill 321, Miss Plater 365, Roy Oakley 437, Flack 549, Easton 458. Total 2128.

Radiant wins 2.  
Hot Points—Miss Glolma 423, Miss Cross 290, Miss Jacques 327, Flack 335, Teasdale 343. Total 1740.  
Mardas—Mrs. White 399, Miss Chadwick 408, Miss Tindall 340, Marchant 385, White 595. Total 2121.  
Mardas wins 3.

**C.S. RESTOREE HOUSE TENPIN LEAGUE**  
Ackerman 427, Ploverman 407, Abrahams 509, Molloy 417, Frederate 454. Total 2056.  
Falconer 266, Denyer 361, Watson 293, D'Arcy 378, Pearce 446. Total 1844.

**BAPCO FIFTEEN LEAGUE**  
Basse 506—Leckie 527, Doyle 466, Green 474, Basse 433, Porter 452. Total 2298.  
Clean-a-Floors—Delahay 551, Hunter 588, Vye 551, Lindsey 585. Total 2522.  
Clean-a-Floors win 2.

Shinzolets—Boughton 486, Lawson 439, McIntyre 587, Shaw 493, Williams 400. Total 2405.  
Asphaltums—Morris 432, Lawson 465, Cox 467, Balcom 377, Leeming 444. Total 2415.  
Asphaltums win 2.

Ireanites—Archer 631, Williams 658, Doidge 474, Basse 433, Porter 452. Total 2298.  
Satin-Gliss—Scott 607, Sedman 532, Aubel 382, Pearce 582, Stewart 566. Total 2679.  
Ireanites win 2.

Porcelines (women)—Cambray 371, Applegate 482, Fenerty 398, Warburton 421. Vye 392, McNaught 228, Foote 327, Delahay 375. Total 1877.  
Porcelines win 3.

**INTERSERVICE CLUBS TENPIN LEAGUE**  
455, Hudson 453, Webster 456. Total 2345.  
Kiwanis—"C"—Duncan 454, Brown 335, Waters 339, Mackenzie 460, Dorell 321. Total 1979.

Grove win 2.  
Kiwanis—"B"—Reverall 424, McKierland 438, Clark 476, King 504, low score 333. Total 2113.  
Kiwanis—"A"—Le Lacheur 423, Humberston 461, Trotter 542, Spence 483, Stuart 539. Total 2548.

Wickers—Hunter 430, McCannan 397, Wickers 427, Newbury 454, low score 300. Total 2218. Kiwanis—"A" wins 3.

**MOTOR DEALERS TENPIN LEAGUE**  
Burr Motors—Burlie 428, Huxtable 435, Huxtable 435, Huxtable 435. Total 2143.  
Morley 483. Total 2143.

National Motor—"B"—Hill 468, Williams 382, Plater 384, Robinson 408, Clark 380. Total 1927.  
Bass win 3.

Humberston—McIntyre 425, Humphries 423, Miles 598, Goette 317, Moore 363, Oliver 378. Total 2123.  
Janssen Motors—Lewin 511, Dispecker 485, Watson 338, Chit 507, Motion 536. Total 2440. Janssons win 2.

**NORRIS TAKES THE CREAM**  
Bill Norris, one of the top-notchers of The Times senior tennis team, won four quarts of ice cream at the Olympic allays yesterday afternoon by clicking off 255 to win the special prize donated for all tennis scores over 250. It is the second time he has spilled the pins for more than the required amount.

Norris tossed down six strikes at the start, slipped with three spares and then polished off the performance with a strikeout.

## Mac Smith Sails For Home to Rest For British Open

New York, March 18.—Macdonald Smith, veteran British golfer, sailed for home to-day to get in trim for the British open championship in June.

With an enviable record in last year's competition, he says he is feeling fine, and is going "over the pond" to rest up for battles to come. He has already registered for the national open here and intends to return as soon as the British meet ends.

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## HORSE RACING

Agua Caliente, March 18.—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:  
First race—Five furlongs: Kit Carson, \$16.20, \$7.20, \$5; Gossop, \$8.40, \$5.40; Youraba, \$9. Time, 1:01.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs: Moriana, \$7.40, \$4.60, \$3.40; Alma Borland, \$4.60, \$4.20; Millard, \$5.40. Time, 1:08 3-5.

Third race—Four and a half furlongs: Wirt, \$2.80, \$2.60, \$2.20; Master Plumber, \$5, \$2.80; Hindoo Jim, \$3.60. Time, 1:45 2-5.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Livery, \$8.60, \$3.60, \$2.80; Excess Baggage, \$4.40, \$3.20; Irahneh, \$5.80. Time, 1:12 1-5.

Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Fortune's Favorite, \$4, \$4.20, \$2.20; Sir Dean, \$8.20, \$2.60; Parnell Roy, \$2.20. Time, 1:45 2-5.

Sixth race—Mile and one-eighth: Seth's Hope, \$7.80, \$7.60; Seth's Pride, \$7.60; Vanity, Time, 1:51 1-5.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Clear Star, \$100.00, \$61, \$38.60; Material, \$13.80, \$9.40; Laumala, \$22.40. Time, 1:48.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Hehukal, \$5, \$4, \$2.40; Umbrian Princess, \$11, \$3.40; Field Marshal, \$3.20. Time, 1:47 2-5.

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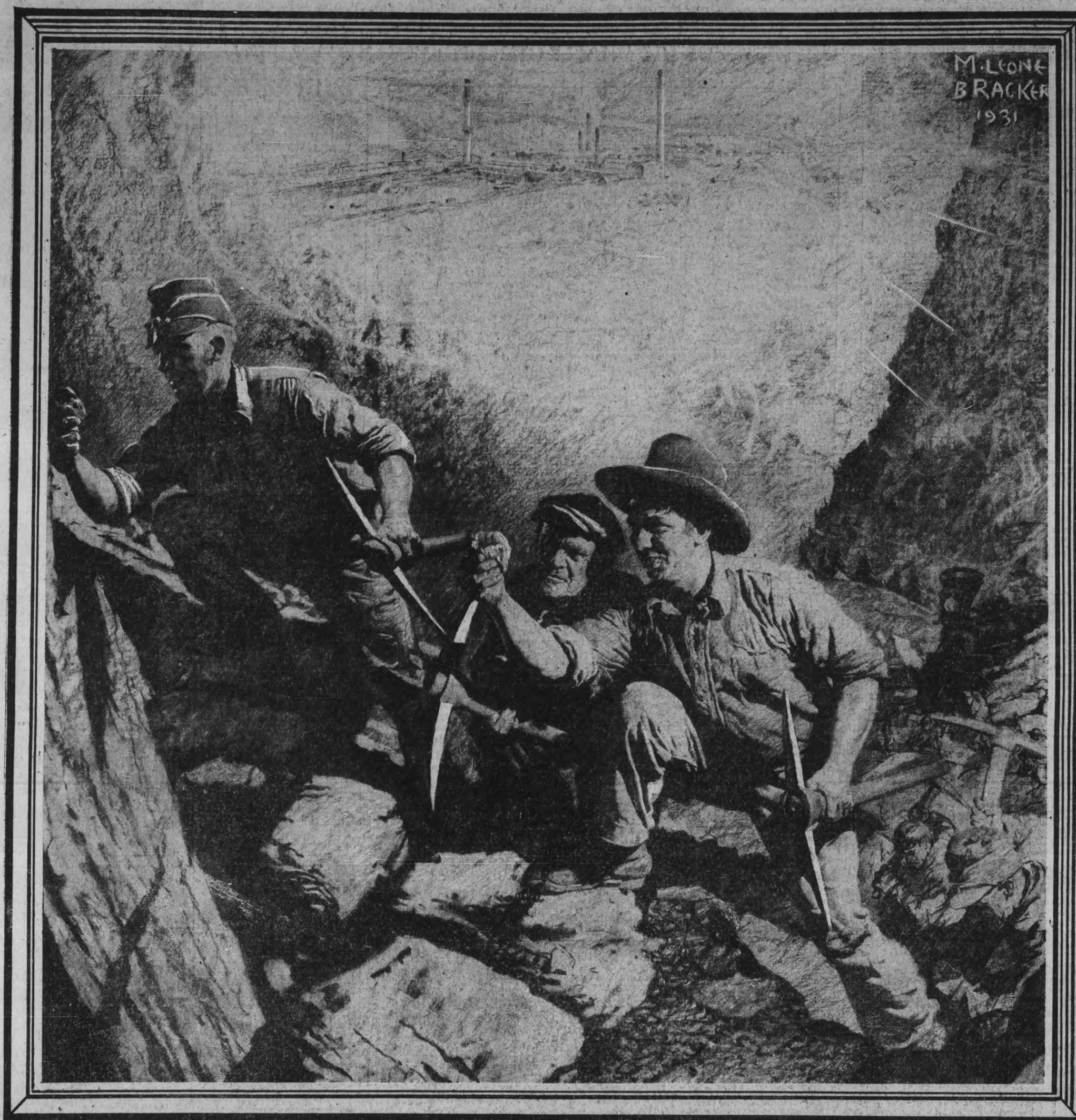


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Announcements

BORN

BERTUCCI—To Mrs. Frederick Bertucci, 1155 Mason Street, a daughter, on March 16, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

DIED

BALL—On Sunday, March 15, at the family residence, 222 Russell Street, John Ball, age eighty-three years, born in London, England, and a resident of this city for the last ten years. He was survived by his widow, at home; one daughter, Mrs. P. V. Welch, and three grandchildren.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon, March 16, at 3:30 o'clock, from his home, Russell Street. Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver by the steamer boat of the Sands Funeral Co., where the remains will rest in state at the Center &amp; Hanna Funeral Chapel until Saturday afternoon, when services will be held and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Mount View Cemetery.

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A view of Rainbow Arch.

left by a river which cut through the under-part of the rock. The stone which we see to-day looks very strong and solid, but tests have proved that pieces can be knocked from it and easily crushed by a hammer. I trust that the number of these tests will not be so great as to destroy the bridge! Other natural bridges exist, but Rainbow Natural Bridge is the largest ever discovered.

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

## NEWS IN BRIEF

The City Council this morning referred back to the parks committee a recommendation regarding the purchase of twenty lawnmowers in the city.

All unemployed are asked to attend a special meeting to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Labor Hall, Courtney Street. Committee reports will be made.

Lee Ming, Chinese, arrested for being unlawfully in possession of opium, by Detective Sergeant Floyd and Corporal Clark, R.C.M.P., yesterday, was granted a remand until Friday morning in the City Police Court this morning.

A large attendance of members is expected at the regular meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, at 8 o'clock this evening, in the Labor Hall, Courtney Street. Important business will be discussed.

The postponed meeting of the University Extension Society will be held at 8:15 o'clock to-morrow evening in Victoria College, when Professor F. H. Soward of the University of B.C. will speak on "The Outlook in International Affairs."

Cases against Alfred Tripp and Halliday Swayne, arranged in the City Police Court this morning for driving to the common danger, were dismissed by Acting Magistrate E. J. Prior, who evidence against them was considered unsatisfactory.

An inquest into the death of Lawrence Gardom, fifty-two, of 250 Howe Street, will be held in the B.C. Funeral Parlors to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The late Mr. Gardom was found dead at his home yesterday afternoon. He had been in ill-health for some time.

A meeting of Victoria Liberals will be held under the auspices of Ward Two, to-morrow night, at 8 o'clock, in the association rooms, Government and Broughton Streets. A matter of great importance to voters will be dealt with, and M. B. Jackson, K.C., will speak on "Unemployment, and the Minimum Wage Act." All citizens who are interested in these particular questions are urged to attend.

Following a wage dispute between the Carpenters' Union and Williams, Terise & Williams, contractors for the Willows Exhibition buildings, the City Council will advise the contractors that they must live up to the terms of their contract with the city calling for payment of union rates, and that all applications for payment in the future must be accompanied by proof of such a wage scale being paid.

To assist J. K. Hodges, assistant manager of the Empress Hotel, in the absence of Manager Herbert J. Wilson, C. Whalen of the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, arrived in the city by the afternoon boat from the mainland.

Members of the 67th Battalion, Western Canada, are reminded of the annual reunion dinner, to be held at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Saturday evening, commencing at 6:30 o'clock. A good programme has been arranged and a good time assured. Alex. Ronald, the old stretcher-bearer sergeant, now resident of Seattle, has been selected as chairman for the occasion. Tickets may be secured from Stas. Okell, Bill Young, Harry Whittingham, Jimmy Smith, Harold Rourke and Bob Morrison, or at the door.

The executive committee of the Victoria Cymnrodarian Society met yesterday evening with David Evans presiding. Committees were appointed to take charge of the work for the coming year as follows: Entertainment, Mrs. C. Jones and Mr. Bailey, and ways and means, P. Williams, D. Evans, W. H. Gardner and Misses C. Lewis. A competitive concert will be held in the near future and good prizes will be awarded. Full particulars will be given at the general meeting, which will be held in Harmony Hall, Fort Street, on Friday, April 10.

An interesting pianoforte recital was given last Friday evening by a number of the young pupils of Miss Helen Riley, at her home in Colquhoun Head. There was a good attendance of parents and friends. The following pupils took part: Victor Elder, Joyce Bell, Muriel Mercer, Dorothy Barnes, Jean Dawson, C. P. Lewis, Lillian LeCocq, Evelyn Dwyer, Hugh Ramsay, Lorna Atkins, Dorothy Humston and Betty Walker.

During the evening several of the piano pupils gave a demonstration of the rhythm band. Recitations were given by Lorna Atkins, and a pretty duet was sung by Dorothy and Leslie Barnes. At the close of the programme the teacher was presented with a lovely bouquet by Dorothy Barnes and Hugh Ramsay.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emma Halliwell, who passed away in this city Sunday, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. A. Ramsey will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

The funeral of the late John Ball, who passed away Sunday, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence, 222 Russell Street. Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver, where services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at Center and Hanna's Funeral Chapel.

After being in failing health for some time, Laurence Gardom, a resident of Victoria, who was seventy-two years of age, passed away suddenly yesterday afternoon at his home, 250 Howe Street. He was born in England and is survived by his widow and one daughter. The funeral will leave the B.C. Funeral Chapel to-morrow at 3:15 o'clock, proceeding to St. Barnabas Church where Rev. N. E. Smith will conduct services at 3:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of Lucy Kellock, whose death occurred on March 15, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, Rev. J. H. Patterson officiating. Many friends attended the service, interment being in Ross Bay Cemetery, the following acting as pallbearers: E. Branson, P. Thomson, G. Bennett and A. Allen.

The remains of Robert Main Lormier were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. A. de B. Owen officiated in the presence of a large gathering of friends, including members from the various athletic associations. The members of the L.O.O.F. lodges attended in a body, also the Sisters of Rebecca Lodge, I.O.O.P. The hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Forever With the Lord." A procession of beautiful floral offerings were received and placed on the casket and hearse. The L.O.O.F. service at the graveside was conducted by Bro. J. H. Davies, N.G., of Columbia Lodge No. 2, assisted by Bro. Rev. A. de B. Owen, chaplain. The following acted as pallbearers: Bro. D. Dewar, P.G., and Bro. A. Edwards, representing the L.O.O.F. Lodge; J. W. McConnell and G. E. Morris; M. A. Kent and D. A. McNaughton, representing the 5th Coast Brigade C.A.

## ASK RAW MILK BE SHUT OUT OF VANCOUVER

Health League Appeals For Pasteurization of All Milk in Vancouver

Dr. G. A. Lamont Warns of Peril if Untreated Milk Allowed Free Sale

Pasteurization of all milk supplied in the metropolitan area of Greater Vancouver was advocated before the agriculture committee of the Legislature this morning by Dr. G. A. Lamont and Dr. A. H. Spohn, chairman and secretary of the Greater Vancouver Health League, a branch of the Canadian Social Hygiene Council.

Dr. Lamont presented resolutions asking establishment of a union Board of Health to secure uniform control of milk supplies and also for legislation to run the risk of such epidemics as were experienced by Montreal, Oregon and Boston. We must not go through Montreal's experience," he said, "telling of the tracing of over 5,000 cases of typhoid in Montreal to local outbreaks at Vancouver, which had been stamped out after being traced to milk producers."

T. C. Brook and other independent milk producers contested the necessity of universal pasteurization at this time, though the probability of eventual adoption was conceded. It was pointed out that the small independent milk producers, who are not "jump right into the combine" if the legislation was enacted, as the expense of pasteurization would be too great, even though the independent producers combined to equip themselves.

## CONVICT TWO FOR ASSAULT

R. J. Hampton and R. M. Stobo Fined in Esquimalt Court

Charged on two counts in the Esquimalt Police Court this morning, Robert J. Hampton and Robert M. Stobo, stewards on Ss. Prince Rupert, were fined \$20 and thirty days and \$10 or fourteen days, respectively, for assaulting William Robinson of the Princess Patricia's permanent force yesterday. The second count, that of robbing Mr. Robinson of his overcoat and hat, was remanded until to-morrow.

Testifying this morning, Mr. Robinson stated Hampton had struck him on the jaw and on the head when he had remonstrated with him for an alleged molestation of a girl who was waiting for the street.

"GOT HOME FIRST BLOW" Hampton pleaded guilty to the attack, but stated Robinson had taken off his hat and coat before coming towards him. The accused added he thought Robinson was going to strike him and "got home" the first blow which had inflicted considerable injury to his jaw.

When Hampton had run away, the two had chased him, Robinson said, adding that he had picked up his coat and hat and taken it away.

In the preliminary hearing on the robbery count, Hampton stated Stobo had picked up the wrong coat by mistake.

P. Z. Caverhill, chief forester, advised the forestry committee of the Legislature this morning that reduced royalties would not, in his belief, affect the amount of timber cut. It might save some operators from "going into the red" temporarily, but a 50 cent reduction, as asked by the B.C. Loggers' Association, would only affect retail prices by about one per cent, or less.

The policy for the government, Mr. Caverhill urged, was to keep its vast forest lands productive, and this could be done only when operators could sell at a profit. Cutting royalties in half contributed nothing to a solution of this problem, he said. The real aim should be to get increased royalties.

C. M. O'Brien, K.C., appeared with President S. B. Smith and Secretary R. V. Stuart for the B.C. Loggers' Association. Mr. O'Brien urged that the royalty legislation implied a contract between crown and timber holder whereby each in should share in the valuable profit on stumpage. Present decline in prices left no share for the logger after paying royalty, he argued, hence royalties should be reduced in the spirit of the contract.

## VOTERS, REGISTER

Owing to failure to vote at the last election, there are 13,000 potential voters' list, for which registration is now being made at Court-house, David Spencer Limited and the Hudson's Bay Company. All persons who are British subjects, over twenty-one years of age and with one month's residence in the province are eligible to vote. Register now.

## SALES PLAN OF FRUIT GROWERS

TERMED PHYSIC

James Spall Says Farmers Cannot Complain if Medicine Causes Ache

Gen. Harman Says Independents to Support Growers If Compulsion Dropped

Further representations by General A. R. Harman, president of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association, and by James Spall, tomato grower, were heard this morning by the agriculture committee of the Legislature, in the course of a hearing on the Fruit Market Act being sought by the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association.

General Harman said the growers and shippers' Federation has been formed for the purpose of defeating compulsory central selling. If the B.C. F.G.A. would put its house in order and abandon its advocacy of compulsion, it would receive full support from the independents.

The growers' locals were well and economically operated but were hampered by inefficiency in the associated growers' organization, General Harman asserted.

The efforts of independents to attain a cash sale have been debated, and General Harman expressed confidence that advances of one-half cent per pound would be attained by agreement with the larger shippers. He agreed that such an advance might well be regarded as involving transference of title and enable the shippers to pledge the fruit taken in as security for finances.

Problems created by Orientals and Doukhobors were of importance, he believed. The independents had arranged for affiliation of groups of Orientals and Doukhobors, who would be allowed to have non-voting representatives at executive meetings when voluntary co-operative problems were being considered.

TORONTO PROBLEMS

James Spall of Kelowna, president of the Tomato Growers' Association, with over 400 members, declared little opposition to central selling exists among white growers, either in his own area, at Kamloops, or in the main line area, but that such a system would not wish to turn it over to Chinamen," he said.

Mr. Spall stressed that he was not asking exclusion of Orientals or elimination of them from the tomato-growing industry. He also was not seeking to prevent competition with produce from other parts of Canada. The tariff against foreign produce was offsetting domestic conditions, he considered.

KEEP GOOD MEN

Central selling would assure a living price and would retain in agriculture the better type of farmer who practiced superior cultural methods. Without central selling, the industry would be run by a few unscrupulous men who would undercut prices and reduce the living standard of white farmers.

SHELVED MEDICINE

Mr. Spall described central selling as "medicine on the shelf, to wait there until sixty-six per cent of us believe in it, and then we will not be able to complain afterwards. I would like to see us one hundred per cent organized this year, then next year you will find no such campaign before you against central selling."

Mr. Spall said that he was not taking any medicine to himself, but that he was taking it to the industry. He was not taking it to himself, but that he was taking it to the industry. He was not taking it to himself, but that he was taking it to the industry.

The session adjourned at the call of the chair, Colonel Lister announcing that a meeting would be held this evening at 8 o'clock if the Legislature did not sit.

**Chapter Held St. Patrick's Tea For Hut Fund**

Camosun Chapter, I.O.E., held a delightful St. Patrick's tea at the home of Mrs. J. E. Stanley, yesterday in aid of the hut which the chapter proposes building at the Sunshine Camp in memory of its first elected regent, the late Mrs. Henry Croft. Little Miss Joan Hayhurst attended the door and the guests were welcomed by the regent, Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, and Mrs. George Miles. Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, municipal regent, was a guest of the chapter.

An interesting ceremony took place during the afternoon when the regent welcomed Mrs. B. B. McKicking, a charter member, making her an honorary member in the chapter and presented her with a colonial bouquet and box of candy. Mrs. McKicking thanked the members for the honor they had conferred on her, making a charming little speech in which she cited some interesting instances in the early days of the I.O.E. in Victoria. A home cooking and novelty stall was conducted by Mrs. D. W. Burnett, assisted by Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. Moffatt, Mrs. Wilkinson. A charming musical programme was contributed by Misses Maryon Peterson, Elsie Friend, Mary Croft, Little Miss Joan Hayhurst, the winner being Mrs. J. E. Stanley, with ticket No. 25. Altogether the affair proved very successful both socially and financially.

The application of the Panama Pacific Grain Terminals Ltd. for equal rates for grain on the Canadian Pacific Railway to Victoria as those in force on the Canadian National Railway was endorsed by the City Council this morning. D. B. Plunkett, M.P., will be advised.

## POSTER EXHIBITS BY LOCAL PUPILS OF HIGH MERIT

Doreen Kennelly and Helen McKinnon Group Winners in Music Festival Competition

Three Prizes in Each Group Won By Girls, All Boys Failing; Fine Work Praised

A fine collection of posters on show all this week at the School Board office has been submitted by the pupils of the high and elementary schools of Greater Victoria. The competition has been organized by the Victoria Music Festival. John Kyle, adjudicator, provincial director of technical education, remarked upon the high quality of the exhibits and the difficulty he had in awarding the prizes. Pupils submitting posters were divided into two groups, the high school group and the elementary school group, and three prizes were awarded in each section. Common to all drawings had to be the words: "Fifth Annual Music Festival, May 5 to 9, 1931." Because of this, all exhibits were of a musical nature. A noteworthy fact is that all six awards went to girls, though a number of boys entered the competition.

First prize in the high school group was won by Doreen Kennelly, a Victoria High School pupil. Miss Kennelly's finely artistic poster is a study in black and yellow, with the members and instruments of an orchestra thrown into graceful silhouette against yellow top background. The base of the drawing, the orchestra platform, is done in an Indian ink black. The back of the conductor, the profiles of the musicians, the trombone, drum, trumpet, bass horn, cello, violins and piano are all in black, and in distinct relief against the yellow. The words "Fifth Annual" are done in the yellow background, the rest of the inscription in white on black.

Second prize in the same group went to Anna Clarke, also of Victoria High School. The heads alone of three little girls—two blonde and one brunette—are shown at the top of the poster. Where necks and shoulders usually are, Miss Clarke has given her "subjects" three green pussy-cat bows, with blue centres. Each of the three girls' mouths are open in song, thus giving a musical suggestion. The inscription is done in white on a black background. The rest of the inscription is in white on blue, pink and yellow on a very light brown background.

An Oak Bay High School student's exhibit came third. Margaret Kerr's poster is much smaller than the other two, and the greater part of the space is taken up by the neatly drawn illustration, black letters on white. A chubby little red-haired girl in a blue dress with white spots sits at the left in a chair. She is blowing a baby trumpet.

THE HONOR OF SUBMITTING THE BEST poster from the elementary schools went to Helen McKinnon, of Tolmie School. Miss McKinnon has done a drawing on a dark background. She evidently wished to depict an organ in a theatre. A man in a dark suit is playing it, and the console has white keys and a yellowish-brown border. Immediately above the organ are suspended long, light brown pipes, partly shaded with reflected green and blue light from a stained glass window. The picture is admirably done, and in the somewhat unusual placing of the various objects to meet the restricted space requirements, the artist shows a real grasp of what she wishes to portray.

Second prize in the elementary section was won by Mary Grant, Monterey Avenue School, with a lavishly colored drawing of an aesthetic-looking flautist. The flute-player has a large feather in his hat, a red and yellow cloak, and long, black hair. He is drawn against a plate glass window background, done in watery greys and browns.

Madam Mar. George Jay School, carried off third prize with a drawing of a fairy-like girl on a mauve stage. The girl's body is included in a round, yellow sun, whose yellow and greyish-brown rays reach up from the stage. Angelic babies flying around in the brown rays are blowing small trumpets. The coloring here is also lavish.

A number of other posters were highly commended and just failed to win a prize. One elementary school pupil drew in the poster a study of Chopin and his friends.

Highly commended exhibits include those of Peggy Bell, Victoria High School; Dorothy Johnson, Victoria High School; Dick Elwood, Victoria High School; John Aldous, Oak Bay High School; Margaret Wong, Victoria High School; Tita Hall, Victoria High School; Dulcie MacNeil, Oak Bay High School; Dorothy Joy, Victoria High School; Joan Boucher, Oak Bay High School; William H. O'zard, Victoria High School; Gordon Dalby, George Jay School; W. Wong, George Jay School; Kathleen Burt, St. Ann's Academy; N. Adamson, Boys' Central School; Thelma Stratford, Cloverdale School; Jay Napper, Queen Margaret's School; M. Duncan, and George Lowe, North Ward School.

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Police to-day were looking for a man who endorsed cheques in favor of Harold Graham on the non-existing account of the Regina Copey Company, limited, Vancouver, as the result of two reports submitted by women yesterday. Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, 973 Oliver Street, stated she had received a cheque for \$34.50 on the corporation in payment for dancing lessons, while Mrs. Flora Baillies, 734 Burdette Avenue, reported she had been given another cheque on the company and had paid out \$10 in change.

On presenting the cheques at the Bank of Montreal they had both been told there were no funds entered under the corporation's name.

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All-Canadian Telephone Service Nears Completion, Says Hon. J. F. Bryant

**NOTES OF THE LEGISLATURE**

Discussion on charter amendments sought by the city of Vancouver giving taxation powers on crown lease waterfront properties, was adjourned until Friday, by the private bills committee of the Legislature this morning, on the application of J. B. Williams, Vancouver City Solicitor. Mr. Williams explained that negotiations were proceeding between the Harbor Board and the city, and the Harbor Board had made suggestions which had to be approved by Ottawa. Further conferences and consideration by the city were necessary before recommendations to the city could be finally made. The committee agreed to apply to the Legislature for an extension of time in receiving petitions.

The amounts for which a child's life may be insured in British Columbia will be increased by 200 per cent, under an amendment to the Insurance Act, to be introduced in the Legislature immediately, by Attorney-General Pooley.

Under an amendment to the Town Planning Act, to be introduced in the Legislature by Attorney-General Pooley, town planning commissioners will be prohibited from sitting on appeal boards and thus hearing appeals from their own judgments.

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The linking up of the various provincial units this summer will mark a notable development in telephonic communication in Canada, Mr. Bryant observed.

As minister of telephones and telegraphs in the Anderson government, Mr. Bryant is very much interested in the all-Canadian line. At the present time the line makes a detour through the United States.

Saskatchewan's part in the establishment of the system is now about finished, he stated.

The British Columbia link is being completed by the B.C. Telephone Company, the Alberta government is responsible for the work in Alberta, the government of Manitoba in that province, the Bell Telephone Company in Ontario, and Quebec and the Maritime Telephone Association in the Maritime provinces.

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## DRUG PEDDLER TO BE DEPORTED

Chief Justice Says Laws Are Stringent, Aimed at Stopping Traffic

Chief Justice Morrison, at the end of the hearing late yesterday afternoon, dismissed the habeas corpus application of Stuart Henderson, counsel for Chow Duck Yuet, convicted drug peddler of Duncan, now held at the immigration barracks in Vancouver for deportation.

Mr. Henderson based his action on the fact that Judge McIntosh in sentencing Chow last April had wrongfully made the penalty one year and a day, with an additional fine of \$200, but had not stated the alternative sentence if the fine were not paid. The Appeal Court later righted the sentence by adding the words "for an additional three months in prison."

R. L. Matland, K.C., as counsel for the Department of Immigration, read the sections of the anti-narcotic laws to show that the department may take charge of a prisoner for deportation "at the expiration, or sooner determination, of sentence."

Mr. Henderson opposed the warrant on the ground that it had been issued on the basis of the conviction he was disputing and that the recital of the document was related to that conviction only.

"Courts and Legislatures are reaching out their hands to the other effort to check the trafficking in drugs," the Chief Justice said. "The problem has become an international one and legislation of the kind of the present nature has been brought down in an effort to deal with the situation. I am afraid I cannot allow the application."

## MOOSE STAGE BANQUET HERE

Local Branch of Fraternal Organization Holds Annual Gathering

The annual associated banquet of the Victoria branch, Maple Leaf Legion No. 33, and Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of Mooseheart Legion, was held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium Saturday evening when over 120 members and guests were seated at the tables. North Moose Legionaire Anthony Spouse was in the chair, and in his opening address welcomed all, referring to the growth of the Moose Order in the city of Victoria and the splendid co-operation of its various branches.

The treasurer, Legionaire Dr. Epley, acted as toastmaster for the evening. "The Moose Order" being responded to by District Deputy Supreme Dictator Frank Hill, of Vancouver, who gave a short inspiring address. "The Women of Mooseheart Legion" was responded to by District Deputy Grand Recorder Mrs. Dean, of Vancouver, whose addresses are always listened to for their spirit of work and sacrifice. "Mooseheart," the home of the orphan children, was responded to by Past Dictator Legionaire Copeland, the text of his response being "Suffer Little Children to Come Unto Me." "Moosehaven," the home for the aged members of both sexes, was responded to by the father of the Victoria Moose, Past North Moose Legionaire T. W. Spouse. "Victoria Chapter No. 25" was responded to by Senior Regent, Mrs. Hatcher, while "Maple Leaf Legion No. 33" was responded to by Herder Legionaire Brown of Vancouver. The toast of "Our Guests" was replied to by Brother Dr. E. L. McInven in a few well chosen remarks.

The assisting artists were A. Jackman, Miss Barbara Allan, Legionaire S. Honeychurch and T. Rhodes, the music being supplied by Bro. W. A. Kestle and W. Sherriss. Afterwards, the tables were cleared from the hall and community singing and dancing were enjoyed until midnight. Past North Moose Legionaire George Allan acted as master of ceremonies.

## Royal Standard Egg-Laying Contest

Conducted by The Vancouver Milling and Grain Company Limited, Vancouver, B.C.  
Week No. 15, Ended March 15, 1931

S.C.W.L.	Eggs	Total
Adams, A. Victoria	47	529
Anderson, Wm. B. Vancouver	52	687
Anderson, W. D. Haney	35	724
Ault, R. E. Sandwick	31	731
Bolivar Hatcheries, Cloverdale	27	523
Bradley, W. Langford	43	708
Broderick, E. H. Burnaby	50	765
Darby, P. & Son, Hammond	54	764
Huben, F. J. Cloverdale	51	811
Frank, P. C. Abbotsford	55	1116
Eve, Frank, Alderbrook	38	786
Farrington Bros., New Westminster	58	784
Grocock, C. & Son, N. Westminster	60	968
Roman, M. L. Coerland	49	680
Isherwood, J. W. Kamloops	42	690
Jones, P. New Westminster	48	697
Lucas, P. Coquitlam	52	874
Lee, S. G. Sidney	48	664
Miller, Douglas, Langley Prairie	54	693
Moore, J. B. Milner	39	694
Phillips, Wm., Nanaimo	51	684
Pixton, N. E. Victoria	35	505
Quinn, H. Nanaimo	47	661
Smith, J. J. Lynn Valley	43	692
Smyth, Jas., Nanaimo	49	799
Russell, R. J. Lynn Valley	51	799
Russell, J. W. New Westminster	44	591
Willis, A. E. J. Sardis	44	591
Wilson Bros., New Westminster	30	677
Woodbury, Jas., New Westminster	43	732
R.I.P.		
Oslo, E. B. Vancouver	54	767
McNair, W. Vancouver	38	477
V.I.R. Club of America, Vancouver	40	600
Russell, Don, New Westminster	56	834
Berred Plymouth Rocks	52	737
Hughan, A. Cloverdale	39	524
Lambert, Mrs. C. J. Sidney	34	504
Lambert, J. Comox Line	45	569
Niv, A. E. Victoria	40	374
Buff Poultry		
Cheney, J. & Co., Ltd., Salt Spring Is.	54	800
White Wyndham		
Truel, Mrs. A. J. Vancouver	50	744
Adams Bros., Comox	32	631
Westerne Poultry Farm, Comox	50	553
Light Saver		
Robinson, R. V. Royal Oak	40	746
Victoria and District Light Saver		
Chik, Victoria	41	465
Lee Link-W.W. A. K.I.R. Cross	35	670
Anderson, H. C. Hammond	38	670
Adams Bros., Comox	37	724
High Bird—P. C. Evans' No. 1 and 7, 121 eggs		
High pen for week—C. Grocock & Son, 60 eggs		
*Leading pen—P. C. Evans, 1,116 eggs		
Total eggs for week		2077
Intelligence and floor eggs		9
Average weight per dozen, 23.33 oz.		2081
Production, 64.65%		

### Flower Canapes

White bread, cut round, and scalloped with the cookie cutter, tomatoes making a smaller circle on top of the bread, and also scalloped, and cucumber slices scalloped, too, on top of the tomatoes, make beautiful flower-like canapes. Top the cucumber with a bit of mayonnaise.



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# QUAKER CRACKELS

## WINNIPEG MAN IS TO BE SENTENCED

Winnipeg, March 18.—Almost a year after his arrest, James H. Blackwood, fifty-six, former Winnipeg parks board secretary, late yesterday was found guilty of theft of civic funds, involving \$2,240, making false entries in the board books and omission to make entries. Mr. Justice J. E. Adamson announced on receiving the jury's verdict

of guilty that he would pass sentence Friday.

Last fall, an assize court jury was unable to agree on a verdict after hearing evidence for twenty-one days. Previously the Blackwood case had been pending for weeks in the city police court, finally being taken over by the province. It took the second trial jury less than an hour yesterday to reach agreement.

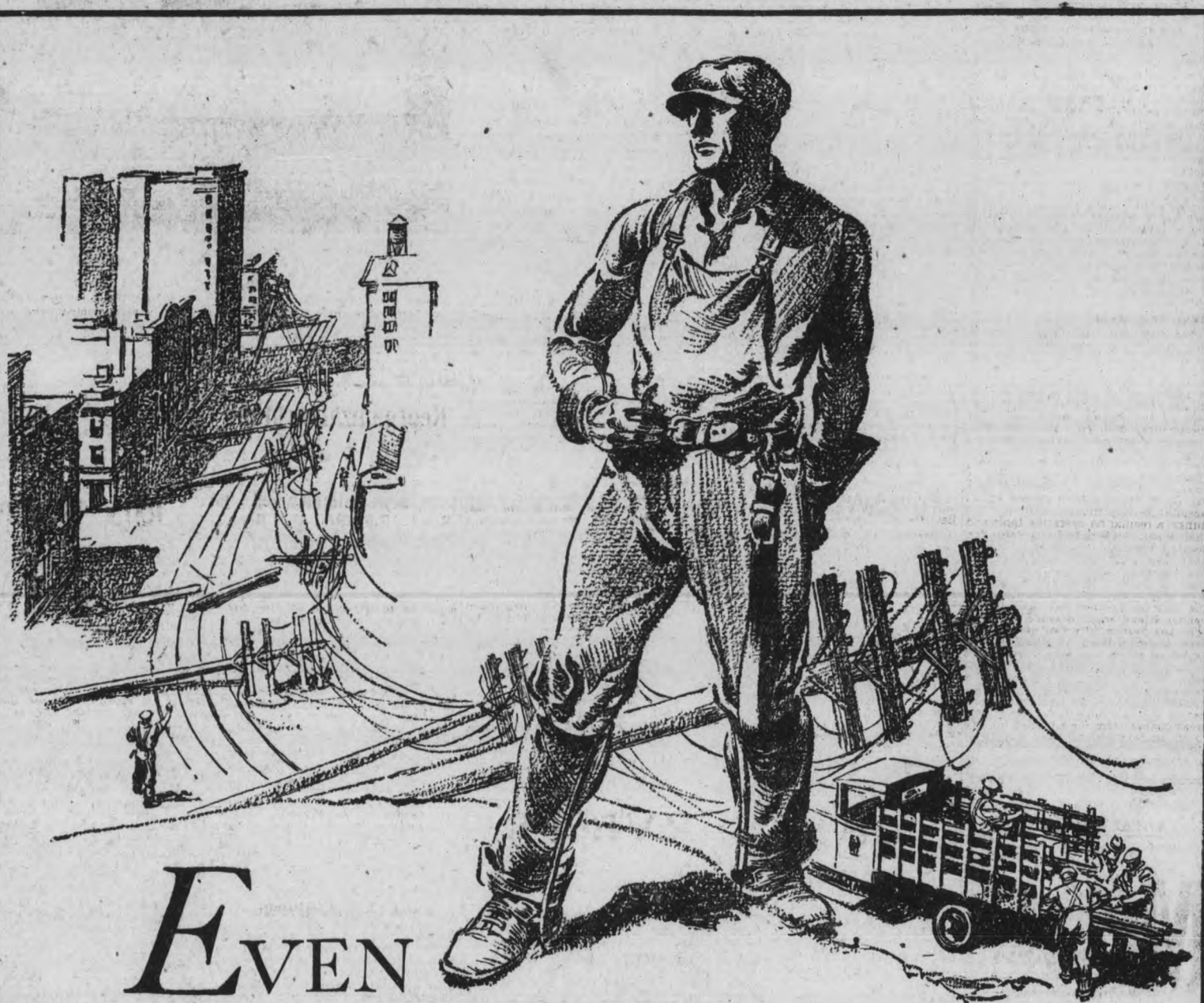
Parks board secretary for twenty-five years, Blackwood was arrested March 31 last year after discovery of alleged irregularities in the accounts of the board.

## Langford

Miss Olive Anderson of Courtenay was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. George H. Aikman.

Captain and Mrs. Saintry who have been spending a week at their bungalow "Carluke," Langford Lake, have returned to Victoria.

Mrs. G. M. Bernard who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. G. Mitchell and sister, Mrs. F. Gregory at "The Meadows," Highland District, left on Monday for her home at Parksville.



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# Ship, Rail and Aviation News

## Noble Work Done By Mission Boat Now In Victoria

Ms. Columbia Travels 20,000 Miles a Year in Carrying Gospel, Medical Assistance and Joy to Isolated Logging Camps and Fishing Villages; Carries Modern Operating Room and Is Equipped With Library, Radio and Moving Picture Machine for Amusements of Lonely People.

"There she is," cries a small boy on the wharf. He had been there an hour, perhaps, to make that very cry.

"Here she comes," shouts a little girl further up the hill, and then from the house comes the word, "You'd better hurry, dad, if you want to get that book."

And then the entire family runs down the steep path to the water's edge.

Why all this excitement, it might be asked. The mission ship Columbia is on the horizon and in a good many places the arrival of the mission ship is the only outside sign of civilization some of the settlers along the coast ever see. The Columbia ties up and the family goes aboard for a short visit. Books are exchanged, mail is delivered, magazines are left and some needed medical work done. The small boy has a tooth that needs pulling; the little girl has a festering thumb and father and mother are anxious to get the little girl fixed up in quick time. And so after a stop of perhaps an hour the stout little mission ship backs away from the wharf and is off for her next port of call.

### HERE THIS WEEK

The Columbia has been at Victoria this week, moored alongside the C.P.R. wharf in the inner harbor, and many hundreds of Victorians have visited the little ship and marveled at her appointments. They have listened enraptured as attendants tell tales of the life in the logging camps, and the spectacular dash of the Columbia through rough seas to reach the injured one in time. The Columbia is fitted with a hospital, and in this room aboard the ship this week a white gown, professional nurse has been explaining the details of service. The hospital is very modern and has two bunks, a regulation operating table and shelves and drawers full of bottles and surgical instruments. Many operations have been performed aboard, but now the operating room is only used in cases of absolute necessity, the doctors preferring to transport their patients to the hospitals at Alert Bay, Rock Bay or Fender Island when possible.

In the lounge fifty-two people have been accommodated at times. It was explained to visitors aboard yesterday. In this room is a small altar, organ, sets of books, comfortable chairs, a moving picture machine and a big open stove. It is to the lounge that the people of the camps flock, for it is a great change from their hum-drum life to sit in comfort and have a chat in the cozy room, listen to the radio and talk of things of the

outside world. And very frequently there is a religious service. At Christmas there is a party at every port of call on the Columbia's itinerary, and Christmas week is always a gala season. A huge Christmas tree is erected in one corner of the lounge, and all the children receive presents from Santa Claus. Then there is a moving picture show, and refreshments with all the good things so dear to childish hearts at the festive season. Once a year also the people of Alert Bay are entertained aboard the Columbia. This party is usually arranged for the summer, and the young people enjoy dancing on deck.

### REAL MISSIONARIES

The vessel being performed is a noble one, and the crew of the Columbia are real missionaries. But the work is also thrilling and interesting, and has a family go aboard for a short visit. Books are exchanged, mail is delivered, magazines are left and some needed medical work done. The small boy has a tooth that needs pulling; the little girl has a festering thumb and father and mother are anxious to get the little girl fixed up in quick time. And so after a stop of perhaps an hour the stout little mission ship backs away from the wharf and is off for her next port of call.

Rev. John Antle, the superintendent of the Columbia Coast Mission, with headquarters at Vancouver, is aboard the Columbia this week. He is well known and well loved at all the settlements along the coast, and makes frequent trips aboard the Columbia, which he designed twenty-one years ago, and of which he is quite justly proud. The skipper of the craft is Capt. E. A. C. Godfrey, a hardy sailor who knows the coast and its waterways well. At the control of the engine is Cecil Fitzgerald, a young Irishman of Campbell River. Dr. Gray is the medical missionary aboard, and while the ship is in Victoria this week two nurses are in charge of the operating room. They are Miss Bessie Newbold of the Fender Island Hospital, who has been with the ship for some time, and Miss Grace Struthers of the Alert Bay Hospital, who received her training in Regina, and who is making her first trip to Victoria. There is also the Japanese cook Tony, who cooks the fine meals and prepares the culinary treats when there is a party held aboard the craft in some lonely camp or village.

The Columbia is of seventy tons gross register, and has a length of 100 feet, a beam of seventeen feet and a depth of eight feet. She is powered with a 140 horsepower Atlas Imperial Diesel engine, which gives her a speed of about eleven knots in favorable weather. Since she was built by Westminister in 1910 the Columbia has traveled on an average of about 20,000 miles a year. She has battled many storms, and has been blown about as sweep clear over her as she plunges along on some errand of mercy.

## PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Reginette, passed Victoria, out-bound, midnight.  
Texada, docked Victoria from California ports, 11:45 a.m.  
Princess Maquina, arrived Victoria from west coast ports, 1 p.m.  
Hakonean Maru, to leave Chemainus for Port Alberni, 5 p.m.  
Dorothy Alexander, sailed from Seattle, 5 p.m., due Victoria, 10 p.m., to sail for California ports midnight.  
President Lincoln, due Victoria from Orient ports, Friday, a.m.  
Empress of Canada, due Victoria from Orient ports, Friday, a.m.

## DAMAGES TO GOLDBORG ARE ABOUT \$70,000

Now in Burrard Drydock in Vancouver For Survey; Call Tenders Immediately

Damages to the Danish freighter Goldberg, which ran aground on Maude Island, at the entrance to Nanaimo Bay last week, will amount to approximately \$70,000, it was learned here this morning. The Goldberg was put on the Burrard drydock yesterday morning and surveyors worked on the ship all day. It is thought the work will take about three weeks to complete. As soon as specifications are made out tenders will be called for the repair of the freighter.

The steamer Salvage King returned to her berth in the inner harbor here yesterday afternoon after successfully hauling the Goldberg off the rocky island. Salvage men aboard the craft temporarily patched the holes in the Goldberg's bottom and the ship left for Vancouver early Monday evening, with the Salvage King conveying her. It was seen, however, that the disabled ship could proceed under her own steam and so the Salvage King left her and returned to Victoria after going several miles on the route to Vancouver.

The Salvage King was being cleaned up this morning after being out on several salvage jobs during the last three weeks. The powerful pumping machinery which has had plenty of exercise, being put down in the ship's hold ready for the job. The Salvage King left Victoria about three weeks ago to haul the freighter James Keith off Rosedale Reef, near the Race Point lighthouse. She then towed the ship into Esquimalt Harbor for repairs and then took her to Seattle. Returning from the Sound port she ment of one of the forward plates damaged when engaged in the Rosedale Reef job. It was while she was lying in the harbor that the Yarrow outfitting wharf, which the Prince Rupert mail and the salvage experts aboard the King were called upon to float her. As soon as the ship was safely in dock on Sunday the Salvage King proceeded with all speed to the aid of the Goldberg.

The Pacific Steamship Company recently defaulted on its bonds. In addition to the financial interest of the Dollar Line in the Pacific Steamship Company it desires to use the line as feeder in its offshore trade.

## MAIL SERVICES

### British Mails

Close 1:15 p.m. March 13, Ss. Montrose, via New York.  
Close 3:15 p.m. March 13, Ss. Aquitania, via New York.  
Close 1:15 p.m. March 15, Ss. Pennland, via New York.  
Close 1:15 p.m. March 16, Ss. Scotia, via New York.  
Mail intended for transit to New York must be so marked. When forwarded by air, the mail must be sent via New York and be posted two days later than the date indicated above.  
Mail for West Indies generally will close at 1:15 p.m. March 11, and for Jamaica at 1:15 p.m. March 10.  
Close 3:15 p.m. March 18, Ss. Stendam, via New York.  
Close 1:15 p.m. March 20, Ss. Duchess of Richmond.  
Close 1:15 p.m. March 20, Ss. Majestic via New York.  
Close 3:15 p.m. March 21, Ss. Ile de France via New York.  
Close 3:15 p.m. March 22, Ss. Leviathan via New York.  
West Indies Generally  
Close 1:15 p.m. March 20.

### Canadian Air Mail Service

Close Victoria 11:15 p.m. Monday.  
Leave Calgary 9 p.m. Wednesday.  
Arrive Vancouver 10 p.m. Wednesday.  
Arrive Medicine Hat 10 p.m. Wednesday.  
Arrive Moose Jaw 1:15 a.m. Thursday.  
Arrive Regina 4:45 a.m. Thursday.  
Arrive Saskatoon 10 a.m. Thursday.  
Arrive Winnipeg 7 a.m. Friday.  
Service is daily, including Sunday.  
Correspondence sent by steamer and train all the way. Mail delivered at Victoria, too late for delivery that day.

### Gulf Islands Mails

Ganges-Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.  
Mayne-Francis close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.  
Pender Island-Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.  
Port Washington-Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.  
Galliano-Mails close: Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m. Mails due: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.  
Beaver Point-Mails close: Monday, 6:45 a.m.; Tuesday, 11:15 p.m.; Mails due: Tuesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.  
Puffin Harbor-Mails close: Monday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m.; Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Mails due: Tuesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.  
Saurina, South Pender-Mails close: Monday, Thursday, 6:45 a.m.; Mails due: Tuesday, Saturday, 9 a.m.  
Mussauva, North Galliano-Mails close: Monday, 6:45 a.m.; Mails due: Tuesday, 11:15 p.m.

### Moonrise and Moonset

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1931.

Day	Rises	Sets	Phase
19	6:24 a.m.	7:06 p.m.	New Moon
20	6:37 a.m.	8:00 p.m.	
21	6:51 a.m.	9:14 p.m.	
22	7:07 a.m.	10:38 p.m.	
23	7:24 a.m.	11:38 p.m.	
24	7:42 a.m.	12:38 p.m.	
25	8:00 a.m.	1:38 a.m.	
26	8:18 a.m.	2:38 a.m.	
27	8:37 a.m.	3:38 a.m.	
28	8:55 a.m.	4:38 a.m.	
29	9:14 a.m.	5:38 a.m.	
30	9:33 a.m.	6:38 a.m.	
31	9:52 a.m.	7:38 a.m.	

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

## MAY SET NEW TRANSPACIFIC RECORD

Outbound to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, the Pacific Steamship Company's liner Dorothy Alexander will sail from the Rihlers to-night at midnight. She will leave Seattle at 5 o'clock this afternoon and will berth at 10 o'clock. While at the dock she will take aboard local passengers and light cargo.

From San Francisco the Kingalea freighter Texada docked at the Ogden Point pier this morning at 11:45 o'clock, with local cargo for discharge. She proceeded to Vancouver early this afternoon.

The motorship Villager was floated into the Esquimalt drydock early this morning and is now proceeding on the ship by workmen from Yarrow's Limited. The ship will be given a thorough overhaul before she is floated out on Saturday. She will proceed to Puget Sound ports from Esquimalt. The Princess Mary is still in the drydock and will not come out until Saturday, further work having been found necessary.

Among the ships that will pass by Victoria to-morrow is the Hikawa Maru of the N.Y.K. fleet, which will be out-bound from Seattle and Vancouver to the Far East. The ship left Seattle this morning and will sail from Vancouver to-morrow morning. Two passengers from Victoria left for the mainland port this afternoon to join the Hikawa Maru there to-morrow.

The Canadian Australasian liner Niagara is now en route from Suva to Honolulu on her way from Sydney and Auckland to Vancouver and Victoria. She is scheduled to arrive here on March 27. Among the passengers aboard the ship are Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Clarke, of Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Todhunter, of Victoria. Mr. Todhunter is a director of the British Imperial Chemicals Limited of London and is returning to England on a trip to the Antipodes in the interests of his business.

Col. A. W. R. Wilby, local agent for the Marine Department, has advised mariners that the unwatched lights at Patey Rock, Saanich Inlet, and on Cranford Island in the Strait of Georgia are not burning at the present time. They will be relighted as soon as possible, the agent advises in his official Notice to Mariners.

The C.P.R. steamer Princess Maquina arrived at the Belleville Street docks early this morning on a trip to the West Coast of Vancouver Island, during which she went as far as Port Alice. She will proceed to Vancouver later in the afternoon but will return here to sail again for the coast on Saturday evening at 11 o'clock.

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Victoria's had their last opportunity of inspecting the Columbia Coast Mission boat Columbia this morning when several citizens went over the craft with members of the crew and gained some idea of the manner in which the boat was operated. The inspection was open to those members who held tickets for the Sir Matthew Bailey Begbie tea which was held aboard the craft this afternoon.

Explaining the manner in which the craft was used and in which the itinerant pastor ministered to the spiritual needs of the community, Rev. J. Antle, visited, Rev. J. Antle delivered an illustrated address before a large gathering at the Memorial Hall yesterday evening. Lantern slides and moving pictures added greatly to the effectiveness of the lecture which will be repeated this evening at the same place.

To-morrow morning the craft will leave for Vancouver to prepare to resume its work.

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE

### Deep Sea Movements Coastwise Movements Vessel Movements

SEATTLE-VICTORIA  
Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily 3:45 p.m. arrives Seattle daily 1:15 p.m.  
Princess Kathleen arrives Victoria daily 1:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER  
Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily 2 p.m.  
Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth leaves Victoria daily at midnight.  
Princess Charlotte arrives Victoria daily at 3 p.m.  
Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth arrives daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES  
Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily at 10:15 a.m.  
Princess Kathleen arrives Victoria daily 9 a.m.

NAIMHO-VANCOUVER  
Leave Nainaho daily at 7 a.m. and 3:15 p.m.; arrive Vancouver daily at 9:15 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.  
Leave Vancouver daily at 10 p.m. and 5:45 p.m.; arrive Nainaho daily at 12:15 p.m. and 8 p.m.

PRINCE RUPERT-ALASKA  
Princess Norah leaves Vancouver 9 p.m. daily.  
Princess George leaves Vancouver every Monday evening for Stewart, Prince Rupert and way points.

WEST COAST  
Princess Maquina will sail on the first, seventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.  
SALT SPRING ISLAND  
Daily including Sunday  
Perry O'Peck leaves Puffin Harbor 8:15 a.m. and 3 p.m.; leaves Swartz Bay 9:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND  
Close 5 p.m. March 4, Avonangi; due Auckland March 23; Sydney, March 28.  
Close 11:15 p.m. March 15, Makura, via San Francisco; due Wellington April 6.  
Close 11:15 p.m. March 16, Ventura, via San Francisco; due Sydney April 8.  
Close 5 a.m. April 1, Niagara; due Auckland April 30; Sydney, April 25.

## Around the Docks

Outbound to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, the Pacific Steamship Company's liner Dorothy Alexander will sail from the Rihlers to-night at midnight. She will leave Seattle at 5 o'clock this afternoon and will berth at 10 o'clock. While at the dock she will take aboard local passengers and light cargo.

From San Francisco the Kingalea freighter Texada docked at the Ogden Point pier this morning at 11:45 o'clock, with local cargo for discharge. She proceeded to Vancouver early this afternoon.

The motorship Villager was floated into the Esquimalt drydock early this morning and is now proceeding on the ship by workmen from Yarrow's Limited. The ship will be given a thorough overhaul before she is floated out on Saturday. She will proceed to Puget Sound ports from Esquimalt. The Princess Mary is still in the drydock and will not come out until Saturday, further work having been found necessary.

Among the ships that will pass by Victoria to-morrow is the Hikawa Maru of the N.Y.K. fleet, which will be out-bound from Seattle and Vancouver to the Far East. The ship left Seattle this morning and will sail from Vancouver to-morrow morning. Two passengers from Victoria left for the mainland port this afternoon to join the Hikawa Maru there to-morrow.

The Canadian Australasian liner Niagara is now en route from Suva to Honolulu on her way from Sydney and Auckland to Vancouver and Victoria. She is scheduled to arrive here on March 27. Among the passengers aboard the ship are Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Clarke, of Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Todhunter, of Victoria. Mr. Todhunter is a director of the British Imperial Chemicals Limited of London and is returning to England on a trip to the Antipodes in the interests of his business.

Col. A. W. R. Wilby, local agent for the Marine Department, has advised mariners that the unwatched lights at Patey Rock, Saanich Inlet, and on Cranford Island in the Strait of Georgia are not burning at the present time. They will be relighted as soon as possible, the agent advises in his official Notice to Mariners.

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Victoria's had their last opportunity of inspecting the Columbia Coast Mission boat Columbia this morning when several citizens went over the craft with members of the crew and gained some idea of the manner in which the boat was operated. The inspection was open to those members who held tickets for the Sir Matthew Bailey Begbie tea which was held aboard the craft this afternoon.

Explaining the manner in which the craft was used and in which the itinerant pastor ministered to the spiritual needs of the community, Rev. J. Antle, visited, Rev. J. Antle delivered an illustrated address before a large gathering at the Memorial Hall yesterday evening. Lantern slides and moving pictures added greatly to the effectiveness of the lecture which will be repeated this evening at the same place.

To-morrow morning the craft will leave for Vancouver to prepare to resume its work.

## PRINCE HENRY BACK SATURDAY

The Canadian National steamer Prince Henry will resume service between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle on Saturday, it was announced here this morning. The Henry will sail from Vancouver at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and will arrive here at 5:45 o'clock.

The Prince Henry hit a log in the Gulf of Georgia two weeks ago, and her propeller was badly damaged, necessitating her removal to drydock in Vancouver for repairs. Because there was no other ship available the service had to be cancelled.

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## Spoken By Wireless

March 17, 8 p.m.—Shipping:  
EMPEROR OF CANADA, Yokohama to Victoria, 1,226 miles from Victoria.  
PRESIDENT LINCOLN, Yokohama to Victoria, 1,182 miles from Victoria.  
MANJU MARU, bound Los Angeles, 563 miles from Los Angeles.  
CANADIAN MILITARY, Halifax to Victoria, 544 miles from Victoria.  
STUKOVO MARU, bound Orient ports, 1,500 miles from Esquimalt.  
OLYMPIA MARU, Yokohama to Seattle, 2,501 miles from Seattle.  
ROCHELIE, Bubber Bay to San Francisco, 572 miles from San Francisco.  
ALBERTOLITE, Esquimalt to San Pedro, 998 miles from San Pedro.  
STANDARD SERVICE, bound Los Angeles, 935 miles from Los Angeles.

March 12, noon—Weather:  
Elevated—Overcast; southwest; light; 29.65; 45; sea, light swell.  
Fog—Rain; southwest; light; 29.62; 45; sea, light swell.

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Weight of Big Supplies  
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Winnipeg, March 18.—"I would like to be bullish on wheat, but it is hard  
to find a logical reason for being so, other than the low prices," Percy White  
says to-day.

Demand for Canadian wheat in foreign markets continues the same during  
the last month, Ottawa reported to-day. January shipments totaled 9,000,000  
bushels, which total is considerably in excess of that of January, 1930.

"It is said that export sales of cash wheat by the Grain Stabilization Cor-  
poration are considerably in excess of 2,500,000 bushels, the exact quantity,  
however, not being divulged," The Chicago Tribune to-day says.

Broomhall to-day reports weather in Southern Europe as now spring-like  
and farmers are ploughing. Navigation on the Danube is active, which may  
result in larger exports of feeding grains, although farmers are dissatisfied with  
present low prices. Field work has already commenced in Southern Russia.

"Wheat traders have been quite bearish in their views, believing that the  
weight of supplies will gradually force prices downward," The Journal of Com-  
merce to-day says.

European countries not having high import duties are consuming wheat  
freely and the same is true of the Orient, but the buying is not aggressive as  
importers are content to buy only as needed and let the stocks accumulate in  
the surplus countries.

## WINNIPEG

(By Logan & Bryan)  
Winnipeg, March 18.—Wheat: During the greater part of to-day's  
session was dull and featureless, but  
prices were mostly higher than the  
previous close. During the early period  
there was scattered buying by sea-  
board houses with offerings fair, part  
of which came from Chicago, and  
sellers were placed at a premium.  
However, these offerings were well  
absorbed, after an early dip of 1/4 c and  
prices advanced fractionally and held  
firm. After the start the offerings were  
light, there being no selling pressure  
in evidence. Export sales were  
active and this morning were placed at from  
200,000 to 250,000 bushels of Manitoba.

The U.S. Farm Board is still offer-  
ing wheat abroad for sale, but sales up-  
to the present are reported to be well  
under 1,000,000 bushels. European con-  
sumers appear to be holding off, and  
reports from abroad advise that they  
expect prices to be lowered so as to  
make for larger sales. Local cash wheat  
market was quiet, with spreads un-  
changed. There was a little short cover-  
ing near the close and Winnipeg closed  
1/2 c higher.

Coarse grains — Oats and barley,  
while closing fractionally lower, were  
steady, while rye moved in sympathy  
with wheat. There were a few odd loads  
of barley worked for export. There is  
some foreign inquiry for rye, and bids  
are close to being lowered so as to  
make for larger sales. Local cash wheat  
market was quiet, with spreads un-  
changed. There was a little short cover-  
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Flax—This market was firmer, no  
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## WHITNEY LETTER

(By Logan &amp; Bryan)

New York, March 18.—Whitney of the Wall Street Financial Bureau says: RAID AS EXPECTED UP TO DAY.

"Yesterday's advice was to expect a raid late in the market session, and that is what started on schedule and lasted right to the close. This entire manoeuvre was timed to coincide with the Baltimore and Ohio dividend meeting to-day on the basis that the result of the meeting would be the reduction of the present \$7 rate to \$5. Outside of the fact that this reduction has already been discounted in the recent decline of the stock, the plan has the additional fault of being up against a postponement of the directors' meeting until the 25th of the month, which makes the main thing wrong with the whole manoeuvre simply that the bear party is not going to have their expected bad news in which to do their covering. As a matter of fact, I do not believe they could have done much covering even if the plan had worked out, so that the net result is a short interest considerably larger than at the end of last week. Look for an advance to-day after an early closing over yesterday's momentum and believe that if you used yesterday's closing bid as the advised buying point, you got some stocks in a fine position."

"Silver's moderate setback, after the violent advance, is about in line with the market performance of yesterday, and believe that with the market it will again pick up for higher prices. An exceptional amount of yesterday's bearishness was generated by the prediction that we will see 60 cent wheat. I do not know whether we will ever see 60 cents or 65 cents for wheat, but what I do know is that there is certainly too much stress on a point which is not a problem until July. Those familiar with agricultural conditions in the west, and even those who hold a bearish position are frank to admit that the use of the combine has lowered the cost of production by about 24 cents per bushel, so that the lower price of wheat does not mean as much as it did a few years ago. Even then, the export feature is not nearly as important as it seems, as a reduction from 80 cents to 50 cents on the size of our exports, means only a reduction of \$60,000,000 in our national income—a figure which certainly has no greater bearing on our prosperity."

Stocks advised for yesterday's closing dip are still a purchase on any extension of it this morning, the issues including American Radiator, Johnsonville, International Telegraph and Telephone, American and Foreign Power, Standard Gas, Columbia Gas, United Gas Improvement, American Can, Continental Can, Electric Auto Lite, Drug, Montgomery Ward, Vandium, Borden and National Biscuit. In the low price group call attention to American Machine and Foundry, Julius Kayser and Commercial Solvents."

## N.Y. Market Gossip

Electric Bond and Share in 1930 earned \$2.49 a share on average common shares, against \$2.23 in 1929. On March 7 last market value of net assets equalled \$51 a common share, against \$39 on December 31.

Vice-Chancellor Church in Newark rejects offer to S. P. Woodward and Co. Inc. to purchase bankrupt Kolster Radio Corporation by putting \$4,500,000 in the company. Instead court ordered interested parties to show cause on March 30 why a bid common stockholders protective committee should not be accepted.

Phillip Morris regular quarterly dividend declared.

## Stock Trading Not Gambling Justice Rules

Montreal, March 18.—The claim that a person dealing in stocks may avoid settling with his broker on the grounds that the transaction was a "gambling" affair is wrong, Chief Justice R. A. E. Greenfield stated in the Superior Court here.

In the case before the court, Greenfield and Company, stock brokers, sued Maurice Har, a former Brandon manager, for \$6,000 claimed to be owing on a series of stock transactions. The defence claimed the transactions amounted to gambling for which the defendant could not be held liable in law. The judge took the case under advisement for examining evidence, but indicated judgment would favor the brokers.

## CATTLE SHORTAGE NOW FORECAST FOR WESTERN CANADA

Winnipeg, March 18.—Canada will have no exportable surplus of cattle this year if Canadian consumers consume the same amount of meat as last year, declared Roderick Macleay, rancher of high River, Alta. Mr. Macleay arrived here to-day from Ottawa, where he conferred with Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture.

In Ottawa, Mr. Macleay, with George Ross of Lethbridge, Alta., representing the recently-formed Council of Western Beef Producers at a conference with the Minister of Agriculture regarding cattle export situation.

Mr. Macleay emphasized that the Canadian cattle industry was on a "decidedly home consumption basis." He deprecated reports of a "glut on the export market for Canadian cattle." He pointed out that on January 1, 1931, there were 11,546,000 pounds of dressed beef in the hands of the commission, as compared with 23,000,000 on the same date last year. The five-year average, he added, was 22,570,207 pounds.

In 1929, Mr. Macleay stated 124,632 cattle were exported, but only 27,500 were exported in 1930, a great decrease which reveals that Canada's cattle population is dropping rapidly, and that we have barely enough to supply our own needs.

It is estimated that 25,000 cattle are at present in the prairie feed lots. One-fifth of the cattle marketed comes from this source. "If 50,000 cattle are marketed per month, in two months the western feed lot cattle would be exhausted," he declared.

He declared false statements regarding the west's cattle situation were "and because they encouraged and weakened prices without any regard to supply or demand." Mr. Macleay concluded by paying tribute to Mr. Weir whom, he declared, "will do anything in his power to promote the interests of the cattle producers of the west."

## WINNIPEG DEATH

Winnipeg, March 18.—Fred J. Dixon, fifty, former member of the Manitoba Legislature and for many years prominent in labor affairs throughout Canada, died at his home here this morning.

Mr. Dixon, who had been in ill-health for many years, resigned from the Legislature in 1923. He was first elected in 1914 as a Liberal, but later became a representative of Labor, sitting as a member for Winnipeg.

## BROWNLEE IS NOT TO SHARE IN GRAIN INQUIRY

Alberta Premier Intimates He Will Not Be One of Federal Commissioners

Edmonton, March 18.—Premier Brownlee to-day described a newspaper report that he might represent the prairie farmers and the Wheat Pool interests on the proposed federal royal grain marketing inquiry commission as an "idle dream." Other than that the Premier declined to comment.

The Winnipeg Tribune yesterday published the following dispatch under an Ottawa date line:

"Premier J. E. Brownlee of Alberta will probably represent the prairie farmers and wheat pool interests on the royal grain inquiry commission. The chairman of the commission will be a prominent Old Country business man, and the third member will represent the grain trade in Canada."

"Sir Joseph Stamp was considered for the chairmanship, but it was found impossible to secure his services. The delay in announcing the personnel of the commission is said to be due to the difficulty in finding a suitable chairman. The government would very much like to have a man of the type of Sir Robert Horne, but is not finding it easy to discover a man who has sufficient time to spare."

## Retail Market

Vegetables

Vegetable Marrow, lb. . . . . . 1.04  
Local Potatoes, sack, 40 lbs. . . . . 1.25  
Ashcroft Netted Gem Potatoes, sack, 40 lbs. . . . . 1.25  
Household Potatoes, sack, 40 lbs. . . . . 1.25  
Lettuce, head, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Cabbage, each, 10 lbs. . . . . . 1.00  
Celery, stalk, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Cauliflower, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Brussels Sprouts, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Onions, 10 lbs. . . . . . 1.00  
Rhubarb, bunch, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00

Fruits

Pineapples, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Bananas, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Peaches, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Apples, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Grapes, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Oranges, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Lemons, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Dates, 10 lbs. . . . . . 1.00  
Coconuts, each, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Pears, dozen, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Processed Strawberries, per lb. . . . . 1.00  
Navel Oranges, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00

Meats and Poultry

Ham, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Butter, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Eggs, dozen, 10 lbs. . . . . 1.00  
Chicken, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Turkey, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Duck, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Geese, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Pork, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Lard, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Sausages, lb. . . . . . 1.00  
Canned Corn, lb. . . . . 1.00  
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Canned Tomatoes, lb. . . . . 1.00  
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# What The Gray House Hid

The Mystery of a Haunted Mansion

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"Does Dina know?" Pelham asked. "No. This is one of the few times I've had a secret from her. She would worry. You know, old man, there may be danger. You're a deputy. It will be up to you to arrest them. That's why we are taking you along. Junior wanted to do the stunt alone. Observe his sullen face. He thinks we are going to steal his stuff."

The distance from the extreme boundary of the building and the time that enclosed the thicket was not more than fifty feet.

When dawn came slowly down the sky, it found Hanby cutting methodically at the wire fence. When the sun rose, he twisted the cut ends together, so that no passerby would notice that an entrance had been made.

The three soon stood in an area lighted from above by the early light filtering through a screen of leaves. There was a chloroform, eerie quality about this illumination. The stream flowed to them out of the darkness, and a few yards below it disappeared into a black channel.

"Can we work upstream?" Hanby asked.

Junior made an examination. "It seems impossible. This place has been cleared out for some special reason—probably because the brook makes that sharp turn, and they had to smooth it out."

"Exactly, Sherlock," his father gibed. "Even I see that, but why?"

Junior, in answer, clutched the other's arm. He pointed upstream to the tunnel from which the water poured in unvarying volume.

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Hanby measured fifty paces before he stopped. Apparently he had run into solid ground. Then he saw that the passage bent sharply to the left, and when he turned his eyes, he could see light coming from a doorway. It was not daylight, but came from some artificial source.

"Dad!" Junior whispered excitedly. "This is our house—I'm certain!"

The three intruders passed through the entrance. It seemed odd that it had no door. The light which enabled them to dispense with the flashlight came from a low-powered electric bulb in the masonry ceiling of a large chamber. The illumination showed the room to be almost ten feet in height, and filled with piles of lumber.

Now for the first time they heard voices. They drew back into an unlighted chamber, of whose dimensions they could not judge. Here they waited, having for the moment no set plan of action. Junior's guests seemed to be correct one. For some reason which might soon be discovered, the owner of the Gray house was allowed to use only one-third of his cellar.

Unknowns occupied the rest, and had piled lumber in it. More than that—unknowns made their homes here and breakfasted here.

When the distant voices ceased, Hanby turned on the flashlight and looked about him. They had strayed into a storeroom. On shelves were potatoes, onions, carrots, pears and apples. The floor was of concrete, and an electric bulb was the source of illumination.

"I bet I'm paying for their juice!" Hanby whispered. At last he heard footsteps. The three took what cover they could in the corners.

Light entered and switched on the light. It was Junior whom he first saw. With a roar of anger, he sprang at the crouching lad and had him by the throat.

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marks in his native tongue, Luigi's story was this:

He had gone into the little room that was Smucker's cell, there to sleep off some strong wine, and to escape from the observant eye of Jim Delaney. While slumbering, he had suddenly awakened to find that Smucker had stolen his knife and was about to slit his throat. He had not murdered the man. He had done what he did to save his own life. In moments of violent rage he did not properly estimate his own strength. He had been horrified to find Smucker's lifeless, but Luigi contended that not a jury in the land would convict him of murder.

"You fool!" said Appleton, coldly venomous. "I do not object to your killing him. It is the manner of disposing of the body that stamps you as an imbecile. Why didn't you bury it where nobody could find it? What madness made you put it in the stream? It is beyond recovery by us, but others will find it, and they will hold it like a club—over you or Jim, but over me. You will find it worse, you fool. It's done now, and now that the men we are dealing with will make capital out of it."

Appleton's icy rage grew with the thought of the disaster. "I shall be the sufferer who thought that after to-night I should have no worries in the world!" He pointed at Luigi. "And this mass of clay from Palermo's underworld who has had sanctuary here, and food and drink, when he should be in an Italian jail, has twice imperilled us!"

"That isn't fair, Fred," the woman protested. "Alone of them he seemed to be in no fear of him. 'Kerr, or Chapin, or whatever his real name was, got that job because he knew Luigi. He was a good man, and he had given us away. Either Luigi had to get him, or we might all have been discovered!"

"Stupid!" he commented crossly. "Why do you persist in misunderstanding me? You seem to think I am worrying about the day when an escaped convict, when I am only remembering that Luigi, instead of concealing the body here, must throw it in the lake, under the impression that there was an end of it. He waved his hand to the Sicilian. 'Go! Remember, we need all your strength to-day. Sleep. Jim will call you when we are ready.'"

Luigi's great carcass bowed, and animated itself with relief. His was a child's mentality. He bowed to them all. Jim liked his cooking.

"I get you your breakfasts, Jim," he said, smiling. "I make a tomato, garlic, and potato you like."

He took his way to the storeroom galley. After the meal he would sleep. After that, there would be work for him that no other man here could perform. Jim Delaney was stronger than most men, but he was not like Luigi, who had carried a grand piano on his back.

Jim walked to the storeroom, calling the Sicilian by name. This cell had been so constructed as to be sound proof.

It was Junior's quick ear that heard first. He passed the door of Leslie Barron's cell.

"They'll find that man and know we're here," he whispered.

Hanby said to him as he found him. There were four now who crept to ward the storeroom. They entered it just as Jim was kneeling by Luigi's side, untying his bonds. It was Leslie who made the first spring at him. Jim had not a chance. Outnumbered, taken by surprise, unable to rise to

his feet, his struggle was futile. Side by side, he and Luigi nibbled viciously against gags.

"Now for Tom Burton!" said Hanby, when they left the storeroom.

When the door opened, Burton stood up and clenched his fists. He knew that some day Luigi's inherent love of torture would lapse into some such exhibition of violence as would kill him. Burton meant ideas of No. 10, racial pre-eminence. He would show that even in their moments of dying, the Nordic strain was the thoroughbred one.

(To be Continued)

## BEDTIME STORY

### Uncle Wiggily And Ticky's Trick

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Uncle Wiggily, with his wife and Nurse Jane Puzzy, Wuzzy, sat in the hollow stump bungalow looking at a cute little rabbit girl named Ticky. Uncle Wiggily was still wiping the jolly tears of laughter from his eyes and so were Nurse Jane and Mrs. Longears. For they had been laughing hard because Ticky tickled them in such a funny way.

Ticky was a little founding rabbit, or lost bunny, brought to Uncle Wiggily by the kind Police Dog who found the poor animal child wandering in the woods.

"Where did you learn to tickle so nicely, Ticky?" asked Uncle Wiggily, who had been the first to laugh as he was the first one to take the founding from the Police Dog.

"I guess it just comes natural to me, like eating," answered Ticky. "And that makes me think I am hungry. Could I have something to eat?"

"Of course, my dear," answered Nurse Jane. But you must promise not to tickle me if I take you out to the kitchen to feed you.

"I promise not to tickle you," said the founding rabbit.



Promise not to tickle me.

Nurse Jane picked Ticky up off the floor where she had been sitting, for neither the muskrat lady housekeeper, Uncle Wiggily nor his wife could hold Ticky any longer. That funny little rabbit tickle just couldn't seem to stop tickling any one who held her.

"Now remember!" warned Miss Puzzy, who was holding Ticky in her paws. "No tickling!"

"I won't tickle you, anyhow," promised Ticky.

"And don't tickle me!" begged Uncle Wiggily. "I never laugh so much in my life before," he said, still tickle me, if you must not promise not to tickle me, if I think I burst three buttons off my dress laughing so hard when you tickled me as I held you after the Police Dog brought you here."

"All right, I won't tickle you," promised little Ticky. "Oh, but I am so hungry!" she murmured as Nurse Jane took her out to the kitchen. On the way Ticky was very good, she kept her promise and didn't tickle the muskrat lady.

Soon Ticky was sitting in a high chair at the table eating some crisp green leaves of lettuce and some string of yellow carrots. Uncle Wiggily and his wife came out to watch Nurse Jane feed the founding.

"Where do you live, by dear?" asked Uncle Wiggily, who had been the first to find Ticky in the woods. Uncle Wiggily gave her that name on account of her funny little tickling trick of making everyone laugh.

"I live right here!" answered Ticky, looking up from where she had some lettuce and carrot on her plate. "I live right here in this nice hollow stump bungalow with you, Uncle Wiggily."

"I know you live here now, my dear," said the rabbit gentleman. "For it is to be your home. But I mean where did you live before you came here with the Police Dog?"

"Why, I lived with him," answered Ticky.

"You lived with the Police Dog?" cried Nurse Jane. "No!"

"Never!" exclaimed Mrs. Longears. "Oh, yes, if you please," spoke Ticky politely. "I lived in the Police Dog's nice, warm pocket. Didn't you see him take me out of the pocket of his big fur coat?"

"I saw that," admitted Mr. Longears. "But the Police Dog put you in his pocket after he found you lost in the woods. You were only in the pocket of a little white rabbit the kind dog brought you to me."

"Yes, I know I was only in the pocket of a little white rabbit. But I lived there just the same," said Ticky. "If you go to a new house and the first day you are there somebody asks where you live, don't you say you live there? It doesn't make any difference how long you live there?"

"No, I suppose not," agreed Uncle Wiggily, laughing a little. "Well, you can say you live with me now and before you came here you lived, as a little white rabbit, in the Police Dog's pocket. But where did you live before that?"

"Before that?" asked Ticky. "Before the Police Dog?" answered Uncle Wiggily and he knew that didn't sound just right. But before he could change it Ticky said:

"Oh, I didn't live before the Police Dog. He began to live long while before I did—he's a lot older than I am!"

"Dear me! What a smart rabbit!" murmured Nurse Jane.

"What I want to know," said Uncle Wiggily, slowly, "is where your home is, Ticky, my dear?"

"Why it's right here with you!" said Ticky. "I told you that before. Now please don't ask me any questions and I'll do a trick for you. Want to see a funny trick?" she asked, and without waiting for an answer she began to do it. But I must tell you about it in the next story which will be about Uncle Wiggily and the dancing lettuce.

But I wish you would ask the puss cat not to do her tail in the milk bottle and make funny marks all over the wall paper.

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# ON THE AIR

(Programmes subject to late changes)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

TO-NIGHT  
CFCF (473.5-490 Kcs.), Victoria, B.C.  
8 p.m.—"Sunset Hour."  
8:30 p.m.—"The classic hour."  
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12:15 p.m.—The classic hour.

TO-NIGHT  
CKWX, Vancouver, B.C.  
5:30 p.m.—Announcements: music and time signal.  
5:35 p.m.—Musical Crusaders (C.P.R. chain presentation).  
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What Should  
A Man  
Seek in  
A Wife?

## Dorothy Dix

Holds  
Brains  
Better Than  
Beauty

**"If a Man Wants to Be Happy Though Married,  
Let Him Pick Out a Girl With Good, Hard, Horse  
Sense—A Pretty Face Can Catch Him, but It Will  
Take Brains to Keep Him Satisfied and Happy"**

THERE is no question that I am asked oftener by young men than whether they should pick out a wife for her beauty or for her brains. It is a futile question, since nine men out of ten use their eyes instead of their judgment in choosing the women they marry and are so intrigued by the outside of a girl's head that they never even give a thought as to what may be inside of it. Any maiden with a peach-and-cream complexion and a willowy figure and naturally wavy hair, even if she has only one lobe to her brain, can marry ten times to the homely college girl's once, or none at all.

Why men who are otherwise sane and practical and prone to looking into the worth of any investment that they go into should put so much stress on the outward appearance of women and give so little attention to their inward worth and value is one of the strange mysteries of sex psychology that nobody can explain. For no man would buy an automobile just because it was painted up gay and shiny and had pretty upholstery.

He would look into its real merits; what sort of an engine it had, what kind of material went into its composition, and whether it was durable and dependable and generally the sort of machine he needed.

But a man will marry a woman just because she is good-looking and a snappy dresser, without ever taking the trouble to find out whether she has any sense or education or thrift or industry or what sort of temper and disposition she has or whether she has any single quality that he will want in his wife.

Of course, no one will deny that beauty is a great charm in a woman. We all just like to look at one who is balm to the eyes, and it is natural that any man would like to have a wife who is a decorative piece of furniture in his house. Also it is true that sometimes beauty and brains and a sweet temper are all to be found in the same woman.

Heaven knows ugliness is no guarantee of virtue. A woman with a pug nose may be just as stupid and hard to get along with as one with a classic profile, and certainly the beautiful but dumb are easier to endure than the homely nitwits.

But beauty in itself, without intelligence, is a poor thing for a man to marry for, because he is bound to lose out in a few years. Time, the great leveler of women, turns the slim flapper into a feather bed or a living skeleton. It streaks golden and sable hair with white. It fades the roses in the fairest face, and when the beauty's beauty is gone, if she has no wit to supplement it, she is lost. And the man who married her because she was a living picture finds that he has only a chrome on his hands.

I think that in the fact that men marry women for their complexions and not for their brains is to be found the explanation of why so many middle-aged men are unfaithful to their perfectly good wives who have done their duty as they saw it. The wives' good looks are gone, and that was all the attraction that they had to offer the men they married.

The women are not to be blamed for they are even as God made them, with little silly, shallow, narrow minds filled with nothing but trivial gossip and the price of butchers' meat and what the children are doing and saying and thinking. They have never grown an inch since their wedding days. They have never read, never studied, never had an original idea and they are dull and tiresome and their babble wears their husbands to tears.

It is boredom that sets most husbands to roaming and it is keeping them entertained and amused that nails them to their own fireside, which fact is abundantly proved by the radio, which has done more to domesticate husbands than all of the laws and the gospels.

Of course, if a man picks out a girl just because she is pretty and without finding out what sort of conversational line she carries, it is his own fault if she gets on his nerves by the time she is forty. But that doesn't help the situation. It merely swells the divorce statistics.

Another reason for picking out a wife for her brains instead of her beauty is that the more intelligent a woman is, the more adaptable she is and the easier she is to get along with. Many men have the idea that if a girl hasn't much sense she is soft and mushy and pliable and they can mold her to their wills. Never was a greater mistake made. There is no other human being on earth so mulish, so stubborn, so impossible to change in any way as a stupid woman.

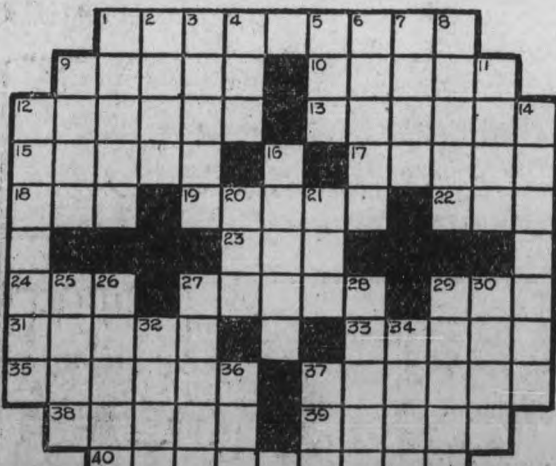
With an intelligent woman you can reason. She can look on both sides of a subject. She can broaden. She is sympathetic, understanding. She can learn to control her temper. If she marries a fine, strong, intelligent man, he can develop her into anything he wills. She can grow to his stature. But you can do nothing with a fool. There is nothing to work on. She is a fool to the end of the chapter.

So if a man wants to be happy though married, let him pick out a girl with good, hard horse sense. A pretty face can catch him, but it will take brains to keep him satisfied and happy after marriage.

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## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



- HORIZONTAL**
- Treatment given hands and nails.
  - Small memorial.
  - Man's largest gland.
  - Comfort.
  - Head of a newspaper department.
  - To love.
  - To run away and marry.
  - Two fives.
  - Speedster.
  - Cluster of knots in wool fiber.
  - Drone bee.
  - Wine cup.
  - Stayed.
  - Silkworm.
  - Pertaining to
- sound.**
- More uncommon.
  - To extort.
  - Units of weight for jewels.
  - Fragrant oleoresin.
- 39 Wrong.**
- Clear stretch of ground.
  - Cantaloupe.
  - Winglike.
  - More fastidious.
- VERTICAL**
- Rubber tree.
  - Jockey.
  - Bad.
  - Threads forced under skin.
  - Driven.
  - Lasso.
  - To cloy.
  - Mends.
  - Griddle cakes.
  - Bustle.
  - Before.
  - Spot of pigment.
  - Imbecile.
  - Airship.
  - Play.
  - To rub out.
  - Soles flat.
  - War flyers.
  - Dry.
  - Sesame.
  - Container.
- YESTERDAY'S ANSWER**
- ACROSS**
- GANDHI
  - DRIVE
  - ALICE
  - AMA
  - RAVE
  - ROAN
  - SUN
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  - 1
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  - 2
  - Winglike
  - 3
  - More fastidious
  - 4
  - Rubber tree
  - 5
  - Jockey
  - 6
  - Bad
  - 7
  - Threads forced under skin
  - 8
  - Driven
  - 9
  - Lasso
  - 10
  - To cloy
  - 11
  - Mends
  - 12
  - Griddle cakes
  - 13
  - Bustle
  - 14
  - Before
  - 15
  - Spot of pigment
  - 16
  - Imbecile
  - 17
  - Airship
  - 18
  - Play
  - 19
  - To rub out
  - 20
  - Soles flat
  - 21
  - War flyers
  - 22
  - Dry
  - 23
  - Sesame
  - 24
  - Container

Mr.  
and  
Mrs.—JOE, DON'T YOU KNOW BETTER THAN TO  
CUT YOUR SPAGHETTI WITH YOUR KNIFE?KEEP WINDING IT AROUND YOUR FORK;  
DON'T CUT IT!YOU MEAN LIKE  
LOADING HAY?

WHEN DO I STOP WINDING, VI?

WHEN YOU COME  
TO THE END OF A STRANDJOE, COME DOWN  
THIS INSTANT!BUT VI, THIS SPAG-  
HETTI IS STILL GOING  
ON—CAN'T I CUT IT?BRAVO!  
BRAVISSIMO!Mutt  
And  
Jeff—SELLING  
SOME-  
THING,  
JEFF?NO! I'M GONNA TELL  
THE PUBLIC WHAT'S WRONG  
WITH THE WORLD: WE  
MUST RECONSTRUCT THE  
ECONOMIC CONDITIONS.  
IN PLAIN WORDS—I  
BELIEVE IN THE  
EQUAL DISTRIBUTION  
OF WEALTH!YOU MEAN THAT IF  
YOU HAD TWO MILLION  
DOLLARS—YOU'D  
GIVE ME ONE MILLION?  
IS THAT THE IDEA?

YEP!

LIKEWISE, IF YOU  
HAD TWO THOUSAND  
DOLLARS—YOU'D  
GIVE ME ONE  
THOUSAND?EXACTLY THAT.  
YOU'VE GRASPED  
THE IDEA  
RIGHT AWAY!FURTHERMORE,  
IF YOU HAD  
TWO BUCKS—YOU'D  
GIVE ME ONE  
OF THEM? IS  
THAT CORRECT?YOU SAY, YOU  
KNOW I'VE GOT  
TWO BUCKS?The  
Gumps—THERE'S  
SOMETHING  
WRONG WITH  
THIS FOODYOU KNOW—  
THAT LAMB  
STEW IS  
FUNNY

YEAH?

WELL IF IT'S  
FUNNY—  
WHY AREN'T YOU  
LAUGHING?Bringing  
Up  
Father—WELL, IT IS GOOD TO GET  
AWAY FOR THE WEEK-END,  
NO FRIENDS, NO RELATIVES

AM, MR. JIGGS!

AM, WHAT?

LET ME INTRODUCE MY-  
SELF—I AM A 32ND COUSIN  
TO YOUR WIFE—MOST  
EXTRAORDINARY  
PERSON!Ella  
Cinders—There's more  
mystery  
about  
Patches  
than  
there is  
in four bits  
worth of  
dime novels.  
We still  
don't  
know who  
he is!JIM, SINCE I AM FORCED TO  
KEEP MY AFFAIRS PRIVATE  
I'LL THROW MYSELF ON YOUR  
MERCY, BUT THERE'S ONE  
THING I SIMPLY CAN'T DO—  
CAN'T LEARN TO LIKE  
THAT DAME, ELLA  
CINDERS!YOU DON'T KNOW  
HER YET, PATCHES!  
WHY, SHE'S THE  
ANSWER TO A  
BACHELOR'S PRAYER!MAYBE, BUT  
I'D HATE TO  
BEEND A  
COUPLE OF  
KNEES BY A  
BEDSIDE EVERY  
NIGHT AND THEN  
GET THAT  
DAME AS  
A REWARD!WHY, JUST THIS  
MORNING SHE  
UPPS AND PICKS  
A FIGHT WITH  
ME!AND I SUPPOSE  
AS MR. WEBSTER  
SAID AFTER HE  
WROTE THE  
DICTIONARY, ONE  
WORD LED  
TO ANOTHER!SHE SAYS TO ME, SHE  
SAYS: "YOU KNOW, PATCHES,  
WHEN PEOPLE FIRST MEET  
YOU THEY DON'T LIKE  
YOU ONE BIT, BUT AFTER  
THEY KNOW YOU BETTER  
THEY HATE YOU!"Boots  
And  
Her  
Buddies—LO, BAGE—  
CHEERIOLO—HEY!  
WHERE TO?OVER HERE  
T'GET MY  
PLANE  
OUTTA COLD  
STORAGESEE, DIZZY—  
I WISH YA  
WEREN'T SO  
KEEN ON  
THAT STUFFNOW, PUDDIE!  
DON'T CHA  
WORRY ABOUT  
MEOKE! BUT DON'T  
GO STUNNIN' OVER  
THIS BUN BARN  
AGAIN—NOW  
I'M TELLIN' YAOH, DON'T BE  
A SILLY—  
WHY, AVIATION  
IS TH' COMIN'  
THINGYEAH, N' YOU GUYS,  
FLYIN' AROUND UP  
THERE, ARE TH' ONES  
WHO HAVE 'IT  
COMIN' TO YA, TOO



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### Sooke

The Sooke branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held its first smoking concert at the Belvedere Hotel on Saturday evening. The chair was taken by P. W. de P. Taylor and twenty-five members and friends were present. The programme consisted of songs by A. W. Trevett, Victoria; B. Waude, Victoria; H. Page, Sooke, and Mr. Sutherland, Sooke, while Mr. Hughes of Victoria acted as accompanist.

The Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will hold the final card game of their winter series at the Belvedere Hotel on Wednesday evening. Mrs. De Mears of Victoria has returned to her home after spending the past few weeks in Sooke as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Welsh, Maple Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Syrett and children of Milne's Landing, Sooke, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dunlop, Esquimalt.

The Misses Nellie Richardson and Violet Helgeson of the training school of the Royal Jubilee Hospital spent the week-end at the home of their parents. The pianoforte recital of Mrs. Florence Acreman were entertained at her home on Saturday afternoon. A musical programme was given consisting of overture, "Pret and Pessant," a piano forte duet played by Miss Lillian Gailgale and Mrs. Acreman, and piano solos played by the Misses Helen Welsh, Elsie Williams, Helen Shields, Lillian Gailgale, Jeanne Thorburn, Doris Frances, Gladys Clark and Masters Billy Harris and Douglas Brownsey. Tea was served by the hostess.

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## MINISTER IN VERBAL FIGHT IN LEGISLATURE

Statements False, Say Liberals, as McKenzie Gives Stormy Speech

Goes Back to Liberal Platform of 1916 For Ammunition

The Liberal platform of 1916 and the record of the Liberal administration during its twelve years of office formed ammunition for Hon. William McKenzie's contribution to the budget debate in the Legislature, providing material for a speech which sent charges of falsehoods and misrepresentation flying across the floor.

The Minister of Mines defended his much-quoted pre-election speech at Penticton, in which he was reported to have promised government smelters, free assay offices, and that even the rivers would be stocked with fry. Its was clearly a case of a mix-up in the report, he said. The paper was referring to the Liberal manifesto.

The Liberals in 1916 had said the time was ripe for government smelters. Where were they? he asked. They had promised restrictions on fuel importations, but what had been done? They had promised to develop the iron and steel resources of Vancouver Island, but had done nothing. He defended the present government's Okanagan Commission, saying fruit growers many times appealed to the government for the inquiry. In May, 1924, the Liberal government, he said, named a commission to investigate the Fraser Valley milk situation, which cost \$25,000. The Fraser Valley people would have solved their own problem if they had been left alone, the speaker claimed. He claimed the Bennett tariff had gone a long way to help British Columbia's fruit growers, and would go further. He claimed credit himself for establishing schools for prospectors and said the number would be doubled this year.

**STATEMENT UNTRUE**  
The first charge of false statements came when he said there had been most dismissals under the Liberal government than under the present government, and Robert Renwick had been discharged by the leader of the opposition when he was Minister of Lands from the position of deputy Minister of Lands and had been given seven days to get out and no superannuation.

"The statement is false," said the leader of the opposition, and in subsequent discussion it was admitted that the former deputy was given six months' pay.

Mr. McKenzie charged extravagance on the P.G.E. through the failure to complete a bridge over the Cowanwood River, claiming \$159,000 had been lost. "The P.G.E. is the greatest problem we have, but I am convinced the policy of our leader will solve it," said the speaker.

"In fourteen years I have never heard in this house such insulting language as has been applied to the Prime Minister," he proceeded when cries of order greeted some of his expressions.

He proceeded to construe a reference to the Premier attending pink teas as calling the Premier "a pink tea artist," and on being corrected made further reference along similar lines.

"I heard the former member for North Vancouver at the last session refer to the president of the C.P.R. as a crook, and the leader of the opposition sat in his place and made no protest," Mr. McKenzie said.

**MAKES IT CLEAR**  
"That," said Mr. Manson, "is a falsehood. Is that perfectly clear?"

On protest from the Speaker, Mr. Manson modified his remark to state it was not in accord with the facts. "It was, and I was here and heard it," retorted the Minister of Mines.

Mr. McKenzie went on to deal at length with schemes that came under the jurisdiction of the leader of the opposition when he was Minister of Lands, and incidentally charged him with discourtesy to an Okanagan soldier delegation.

"That is false," interjected Mr. Pattullo. "I was given a unanimous vote of thanks by the men at that meeting. The minister is merely retelling a lot of scandal."

Speaking of other election promises, the speaker said the Hope-Princeton road was now under construction.

Mr. McKenzie claimed perfect fairness had been shown in the distribution of work under the federal act for the relief of unemployment, and said the accounts had been placed before the public accounts committee this session although they need not have been presented for another year.

Mr. McKenzie defended his administration of the unemployment relief funds, and compared his own record with the attitude of former Premier Mackenzie King as exemplified in the five-cent piece utterance.

"What about the unemployed delegation you kicked out of your office?" asked L. A. Hanna, Alberni.

"That statement is not true," said Mr. McKenzie. "He called me liar, and I would not let him get away with it. This man Forbes said every word I wrote in a letter to Mayor Pendray was a 'damn lie,' and so I told him to get out of the office. That is the plain truth of the matter."

Dealing with hospital grants, he said



Here's a new one to try out next summer. This quartette, Marjorie Cramer, Mildred Mahoney, Arthur Mahoney and Albert Camplon, aquaplane experts, whizz along at nearly a mile a minute at Malmi, Fla.

the Tolmie government had been more generous, but due to the curtailed revenue and the fact that there was no great increase in population at the present time he believed the government could well afford to take a rest for the next two or three years in this matter.

## JOBLESS NOT ALLOWED TO MEET AT P. B.

Thomas Uphill Warns Legislature Over Preventing Free Speech

T. D. Pattullo Refused Right to Speak; Attorney-General Makes Statement

Stationing of special police in the corridors and galleries of the Parliament Buildings and the refusal through Attorney-General Pooley to permit them to meet on the Parliament Building steps started a discussion in the Legislature yesterday, in which Thomas Uphill, as spokesman for the unemployed, warned against the danger of interfering with the right of free speech.

Mr. Uphill brought the matter before the House after the Speaker had pointed out the matter was irregular, and Attorney-General Pooley rose to defend his orders against the meeting by saying the Parliament Building steps was not the place to hold the meeting. Also he pointed out the unemployed belonged to Victoria and it was a municipal matter, not a provincial matter.

T. D. Pattullo, leader of the opposition was refused permission to speak on the subject. He appealed to Premier Tolmie, pointing out the Attorney-General had been permitted to speak, but the Premier paid no heed to the appeal.

The Labor member for Fernie in drawing attention to the matter said the meeting had been scheduled for 2 o'clock. The unemployed thought such a meeting would provide a good opportunity to impress upon members of the Legislature the problem of unemployment, which was never more serious than at this time.

**NEVER REFUSED BEFORE**  
"I understand," he said, "that never before have the unemployed been refused the right to hold such a meeting as the one planned. Surely these men have the right of free speech and a denial of that right is liable to lead to disorder and disregard of the law. As peaceful and law-abiding citizens they look to the Legislature to see the right of free speech is maintained, and I have been asked to bring this matter before the House. They say they have been refused the right to meet at the Parliament Buildings because it is crown lands, but they point out that they and their predecessors established those lands, and as long as they come in a peaceful and law-abiding manner they have the right to meet there. It was fair they should expect to meet there."

It was no intention of the government to block the right of free speech, Attorney-General Pooley said. The unemployed in question were Victoria men and it was a matter for the city of Victoria to deal with. A committee had met the unemployment committee of the provincial government and arrangements had been made to place as many of them as possible this week.

"As far as help to the unemployed through the municipalities is concerned no one can shake a finger at this government," said Mr. Pooley. "A demonstration of this nature in front of the Parliament Buildings will not help. Some of the ringleaders are badly advising the unemployed."

**Rykoff Elected To the Central Soviet Committee**  
Moscow, March 18.—Restoration of Alexis Rykoff, recently deposed as Premier, and several others who were banished out of their posts in recent shake-ups was one of the surprising developments of the sixth All-Union Soviet Congress here, which adjourned yesterday evening.

Rykoff does not come back as Premier, but he was elected to the important Central Executive Committee, along with Nikolai Bukharin and Michael Tomsky. Not long ago both Bukharin and Tomsky appeared to be in as great disfavour as Rykoff himself.

Harmony seems to have been re-established between the Rights and the Lefts, and there was a lot of hand-shaking as the Congress broke up so the delegates could go back home for the spring planting.

## CHARGES GO UNANSWERED

No Reply From Government to MacPherson's Non-confidence Motion

Debate on the resolution of F. M. MacPherson, Liberal, Cranbrook, regarding government extravagance and the increased taxation made necessary as a result was sidetracked in the Legislature yesterday.

In moving his motion, Mr. MacPherson quoted expenditures to show how the cost of government had increased, and criticized Hon. J. W. Jones's recent bond sale, but Premier Tolmie conferred with members of the government at the close of the speech, and no one took up the challenge. The motion was defeated on a straight party vote of 34 to 11.

Mr. MacPherson recalled that Hon. W. C. Shelly had been commended as courageous when he brought down his budget last session. He had since been deposed. "Shall we see a new Finance Minister again next year?" he asked.

**START AT HOME**  
Economy should have started at

home, the Cranbrook member said. There were eleven cabinet ministers, nine with portfolios, and except for three from the Okanagan they all represented the confines of Victoria or Vancouver, and the rest of the province was unrepresented. Ontario with 3,500,000 was only paying the same for its cabinet as British Columbia with 600,000 people. The Liquor Control Board had been changed to a three-man board. The chairman received \$15,000 a year against only \$9,000 received by the Premier of the province. Was not that rather out of line with economy? the speaker asked. All the board appeared to have done was to pass upon the architecture of beer parlors and put over a sale promotion idea to sell odd lines of stock at Christmas. He thought it should be called a liquor selling agency.

## Legion Chief Gives Lecture At Saanichton

Col. W. W. Foster, D.S.O., president of the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, was given a rousing welcome by the North Saanich branch of the Legion at the Orange Hall, Saanichton, on Monday evening. President Nat Gray also welcomed Comrade W. Stone, representative; Comrade Mc-



Kenzie, president of White Rock branch, and Comrade Shinobu, president of the Japanese branch, Vancouver. Eight new applications for membership were received and accepted. Comrade A. Calvert was elected as delegate to the Legion convention in May at New Westminster, and will also act as secretary during the absence of Rev. T. M. Hughes, who intends to visit the Old Country this summer.

Comrade Foster briefly touched on the work of the Legion and gave a lecture entitled, "From Mons to the Marne and back again." He showed by a large scale map, the field of operations of Britain's first 100,000, who by the skill and devotion of its members changed the whole course of the war, and made victory possible.

At the refreshment hour, Comrade Calvert, on behalf of the branch, presented Comrade Hughes, branch secretary, with a desk fountain pen and stand. Comrade Foster was then asked to present Comrade Calvert with a past president's jewel.

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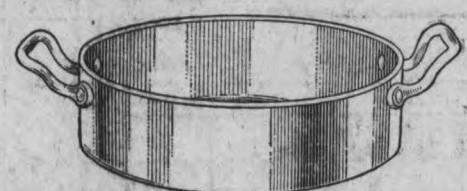
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